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DEVALUATION OF FRANC IS GENERALLY WELCOMED IN ENGLAND

SOUTHERN CHINA'S DEFENCES

STRATEGIC DISTRICTS TO BE STRENGTHENED

THREE YEAR PLAN CONTEMPLATED

(From A Special Correspondent)

Canton, Yesterday.

Notwithstanding the disturbing and tense foreign situation in China, the Generalissimo is busy doing national defensive and rehabilitation work in South China, and General Yu Hon-mow, the Pacification Commissioner for Kwangtung, has been instructed to strengthen the coastal defence of the province. The strategic coastal districts, such as Swatow, Senmei, the Hailukfong districts, Luichow, Chulmen, Anpu and Pakhoi, will be strongly fortified, while the key of the province, the fort of Bocca Tigris, will be repaired and fortified with up-to-date weapons. A full division under General Chen Cheong has been dispatched to garrison the island of Hainan.

General Huang Mo-chung, the Chairman of the Kwangtung Provincial Government, has been instructed to draft a three years' rehabilitation plan for the province, on the principles of the improvement of the district administration, the stabilisation of the currency, the establishment of productive industries, and the enlargement of public and technical education. The Generalissimo will ensure that the work is done between 1937 and 1939, both years inclusive.

STIRRING CALL TO CHINA

NATIONAL UNITY REQUIRED

FREEDOM AND EQUALITY FOR THE PEOPLE

Canton, Yesterday.

"The demands of the Chinese people are for freedom and equality!" was the stirring last sentence of a pamphlet issued to commemorate the fifth anniversary of the Mukden Incident, by Marshal Feng Yu-shiang, Vice-Chairman of the Military Affairs Committee, which reached here over the week-end.

The pamphlet is challengingly entitled, "What Day is To-day?" "To-day is the turning point. Either we effect national salvation or we shall be extinguished as a nation," said the pamphlet.

"The humiliation we suffered five years ago was a threat to the livelihood of all Chinese people and to the continued existence of the nation. The Chinese people have no intention of regarding any aliens in a hostile light, or of invading any other country. But we can no longer tolerate the fact that our territory is invaded further day by day.

"I hope that the 400,000,000 Chinese people will rise and unite as one family, so that the spirit of the Chinese nation will rise, so that we can hold our heads erect in the world, and so that we can keep our own organisations strong. "In short—I speak plainly—the demands of the Chinese people are for freedom and equality."—Union News.

MONGOL REBELS IN KWEIHW

Being Rounded Up By Cavalry

Peiping, Yesterday.

The Mongols who, mutilated west of Kweihwa last Monday night have retreated into a valley of the Ta Ching Mountains north-east of Kweihwa, where they are attempting to defend themselves against the Suiyuan provincial troops sent by General Fu Tao-yi to subdue them.

Many have already surrendered or been killed, according to official reports. The remainder are being rounded up by cavalry detachments.—Union News.



The Japanese Women's World Olympic swimming team snapped by our photographer just after they had given a splendid exhibition in the European Y.M.C.A. Swimming Pool last Friday afternoon. Miss H. Maehata, holder of the World and Olympic 200 Metres breast-stroke record, is seated at the extreme right of the front row. ("Herald" photo).

BRITISH POLICY OUTLINED

No Change In Status Of Pound

REPRISALS BARRED

London, Yesterday.

In a declaration arising out of the discussions between the Governments during the last few days, during which the French Government indicated the possibility of a readjustment of the value of the franc, His Majesty's Government state that they have no responsibility for the actual monetary measures which the French Government have decided to propose. The discussions were concerned with the attitude which the British Government would adopt in the event of readjustment.

The discussions were necessarily limited to the three countries which at present are the main centres of international financial transactions. To have enlarged the field would have been inconsistent with the need for secrecy essential for the success of the French monetary measures.

The declaration does not involve any change in the British monetary policy. Sterling will remain a free currency not linked to gold or to any other currency. As stated in the declaration, the policy will continue to take into full account the requirements of the internal prosperity of the countries of the British Commonwealth of Nations and the Exchange Equalisation Fund will be used to smooth out fluctuations and thus facilitate international trade.

ASSURANCE GIVEN

The declaration is intended to make it clear that His Majesty's Government will not deliberately depreciate the pound sterling by way of reprisal for the monetary measures proposed by France. This would, of course, be entirely contrary to the policy which the British monetary authorities have always pursued, and the Chancellor of the Exchequer felt no difficulty about giving such an assurance and undertaking to consult the other Governments with a view to avoiding as far as possible exchange disturbances arising out of the readjustment of the value of the franc.—British Wireless Service.

U. S. APPOINTMENT

Hyde Park, N.Y., Yesterday. —President Roosevelt has appointed Mr. Harry Woodring, Assistant Secretary for War, to be Secretary for War pro tem. —Reuter.

CAPITAL PUNISHMENT IN FINLAND

Government Bill Defeated By Only One Vote

Helsingfors, Yesterday.

The Finnish Government is expected to resign to-day, following its defeat by one vote yesterday on the bill for the reintroduction of capital punishment. Hitherto 12 years' imprisonment has been the highest possible sentence.

The last execution of a person on a capital charge took place in 1812.—Reuter's Bulletin Service.

STATEMENT PUBLISHED IN FRANCE

Text Of Three-Party Agreement

POLICY AIMED AT CURRENCY STABILISATION

"SUNDAY HERALD" SPECIAL.

Paris, Yesterday.

The French Cabinet has authorised the publication of a statement explaining the new monetary agreement between France, Great Britain and the United States, this being given out at Paris, London, and Washington simultaneously at 2 a.m. to-day. At the same time a new bill was announced, which establishes the new gold value of the franc. The bill also provides for a monetary stabilising fund of 10,000,000,000 francs.

The agreement arrived at between the three countries is in part as follows:—

"The French Government has entered into an agreement with the Governments of the United States and Great Britain in a mutual desire to preserve peace and bring about the conditions most favourable for the re-establishment of order in international economic relations and the development of welfare standards in the world, the improvement of living conditions among the nations being dependent thereon."

"All take this opportunity to declare that the policy carried out during past years will continue, (Continued on Page 22)

MISHAP TO THE "BOADICEA"

Post Office Report On Air Mails

NO REGISTERED MAIL

London, Yesterday.

The Post Office announces that a portion of the airmails for the England to India, Malaya and Australia services was aboard the Boadicea, which has been reported missing when crossing the Channel since yesterday morning, comprising correspondence posted in London up to about 8 a.m. yesterday, and in the provinces up to Thursday evening. No registered correspondence for this service was aboard the Boadicea. The bulk of the airmail for this service was despatched by other aeroplanes. —Reuter.

NO TRACE

London: The search for the missing twin-engined aeroplane Boadicea, used chiefly for special charter work by Imperial Airways, which disappeared yesterday afternoon presumably in the English Channel, continued throughout the night and is still proceeding. So far no trace of the missing machine has been found. She carried no passengers. The crew consisted of a pilot and the wireless operator. Her cargo was comprised of mails and baggage for Paris.—British Wireless Service.

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Pleads For Execution

Madrid, Yesterday. —Rosario Dollano, the sister of the insurgent general, has been arrested, and pleaded to be shot immediately.

Bilbao: Over 100 bombs were rained on Bilbao from the air yesterday. The seat of the Civil Government was struck. All the available hosepipes are being worked to stem the outbreaks of fire. Dead are still being taken from the collapsed houses.

Seville: A broadcast states that the anti-Government cadets are still holding out at the Alcazar. The women and children have been evacuated.

Buenos Aires: It is learned that the Argentine Embassy at Madrid has reported that the President, Don Manuel Azana, and several other prominent Spaniards have asked for refuge in the Embassy. —Reuter.

IMPORTANT FIRST STEP TAKEN

RESTORATION OF SOUND MONETARY CONDITIONS

ULTIMATE GOAL STABILISATION OF WORLD'S CURRENCIES

London, Yesterday.

The devaluation of the franc was announced too late for many of the papers to comment. The Times says that the agreement may prove to be the first step of several towards the ultimate stabilisation of the world's currencies. Its importance, therefore, must not be underestimated, even though the ultimate goal is still far off and the present understanding contemplates only an effort to maintain approximate currency stability between these nations.

But these nations hold the key to stabilisation, and if they succeed in preserving stability between themselves there is good ground for believing that the other nations will be encouraged and assisted to achieve stability too.

The risk of destructive competition to reduce the purchasing power of currencies is avoided, and an important step has been taken towards promoting the restoration of sound monetary conditions.

The Daily Telegraph says that at first sight the new experiment in international co-operation seems likely to be as welcome as it was unexpected.

The Financial News says that M. Leon Blum has kept his promise to devalue only as part of a wider alignment of the leading currencies. The concessions he has obtained from London and Washington are more than ample.

"We have long regarded devaluation of the franc as inevitable, and have always taken the view that when it came it would be beneficial. Latterly the defence of the franc had almost become a farce. M. Blum's decision should not be regarded as anything but welcome and better late than never."—Reuter.

Effects On The Bourses

DEALINGS SUSPENDED

London: All foreign exchange dealings in London have been suspended. No transactions in gold are taking place and no price has been fixed in London.

Paris: Confusion prevails in the money market this morning. Sterling is being talked round 105 francs. Visitors needing small quantities of francs are being accommodated by the banks at the old rate, with an intimation that they can collect the rest on Tuesday.

A stream of taxis is disgorging British and American visitors. The American banks show signs of assuming large commitments as the day progresses. The cashiers are informing clients that they have no rate for pounds and dollars, but may be able to quote later in the day.

RENTIERS HIT
The man in the street is apparently taking the devaluation quietly. People connected with the tourist industry are openly jubilant. The prices of commodities have not risen this morning. The class most hit are the rentiers with private incomes.

Berno: The Federal Council resolved this morning that the Swiss franc will remain on gold at its present value.—Reuter's Bulletin Service.—(Continued on Page 22)

RANGE OF THE DEPRECIATION

London, Yesterday.—In view of the fact that the former gold content of the franc was 65.5 milligrammes, to-day's official announcement that the new rule has been fixed between 49 and 43 milligrammes of gold means that the depreciation ranges between 25.101 and 34.351 per cent.—Reuter.

MINISTERS MEET

CONSEQUENCES OF DEVALUATION

POLITICAL LEADERS AND PARTIES BUSY

Paris, Yesterday.

MM. Leon Blum, Vincent Auriol, Spinasse and the Minister of Interior, M. Salengro, met urgently at 11.45 a.m. to-day in M. Blum's official residence to consider the financial, economic and political consequences of the new monetary alignment. The Finance Committee of the Chamber will meet tomorrow to examine the bills to be submitted for discussion to the Chamber on Monday dealing with the Franc Devaluation Bill legalising the new franc.

It will be accompanied by others easing the consequences of the measure as they affect certain categories of people. M. Auriol, the Minister of Finance, will inform the committee of the negotiations for the agreements with the foreign Powers. M. Blum may also speak.

The various political groups of the Chamber are also expected to spend a busy Sunday deciding the lines they will adopt at Monday's debate.

The press has generally given a favourable reception to the devaluation of the franc, but the Radical newspapers, which are usually for the Government, are critical, fearing the effects upon the middle classes.—Reuter.

LONDON SILVER MARKET

PRICES RISE

London, Yesterday.

London Silver prices to-day were up ¼, as follows:—
Spot 18½ 19½
Forward 19½ 19½
—Our Own Correspondent.

SOMETHING FOR A HEADACHE

By WILLIAM MILLER

MR. Mitchell W. (Mitche the Snitch) Sparks, his elegant figure draped supinely in the doorway of Johnson's Cut-Rate Drug Store, gave a critical hitch to his natty green four-in-hand and cast an appraising eye to the eastward.

From that direction approached a figure of most unusual appearance. Its clothing, of obvious quality, could not conceal the ill-ease of the tall and bony contents. From this rigging dangled veritable ape's arms which the figure carried as though it was surprised to find it had them and was looking, unsuccessfully, for a place to put them.

"Get a load of this," said Mitche the Snitch to Frank (Pony Boy) Melli, ne Molisandra, and also known, occasionally and variously, as: Mahon, Martin, Martini, Moore, Morrell, and others.

"In the bag," said Pony Boy, cocking his own pert glance at the approaching face, notable chiefly for the expansive, vacuity and singular trustfulness of its expression.

Pony Boy drew a veil of pretended indifference over his beady little rat-eyes as Mitche the Snitch, slipping a cigarette idly into his mouth, sauntered into the street, implanting his all-in-a-torial perfection directly in the stranger's path.

"Got a match?" asked Mitche the Snitch. The stranger, flushed gold teeth in an affirmative grin. "Nice weather," said Mitche, flicking the match into flame with a deft snap of his thumb.

"Nice enough," said the stranger, turning it over in his mind. "But the crops," he added, "could stand a lot more rain."

"Hadden't thought of it that way," said Mitche. "Guess that's right. Now that you put it that way I can see where this dry spell is tough on the farmer, all right."

"That's right," said the stranger, "a little rain wouldn't hurt none at all, not at all." He made as if to move on and Mitche did likewise. But suddenly Mitche paused, eyes flashing as though struck by a thought, and he grabbed the stranger's long arm, stalling him in mid-flight, like a crippled ostrich.

"Wait," said Mitche, "wait a minute. I got an idea." The stranger teetered perilously on his heels, his free arm flailing from the sudden interruption of his progress. As he composed himself Mr. Sparks looked him over from toe to tooth as if making a grave decision. The decision, apparently, was in his favour, for Mitche bent closer to his ear.

"Listen," he said, "how would you like to make fifty thousand dollars?" The stranger's jaw sagged. "Fifty thousand dollars," said Mitche, dwelling juicily on the syllables as if he were counting the money right out under the stranger's nose.

"All yours," continued Mitche, "without even so much as wiggling your big toe."

"Well," said the stranger dubiously, "I don't know about that. Last man asked me that tried to sell me the City Hall. Said I could get rich charging the city rent. I heard of another feller showed up claiming those Confederate cannons down on the Square. Said he bought them for scrap from the man who owned them. I don't put much truck in—"

"Forget it," said Mitche, waving a thin-veined hand in obvious annoyance. "This is none of that piker stuff. This is legit. Now listen, pal; here is all you got to do—My friend and I—"

Mitche gestured at the swart, chunky form of Pony Boy lolling indifferently in the doorway as his voice diminished into a buzzing sound as of flies on a cow's flank. Some moments of this, and it rose into this concluding argument:

"All you got to do is stand by the door like you are waiting for a street car or something and if you see a cop or anybody coming all you got to do is yell, 'O Robert!' and then run off like you see somebody you know up the street. Then we—"

"Nothing doing," said the stranger, tearing himself from Mitche's pawing grasp. "No, sir, I may be poor but I'll have no truck with a nest of thieves. I'm a good mind to call an officer. Why, I'm—"

"Wait a minute," said Mitche, getting a new grip on one of the ape-arms. "Now don't get excited. I was just trying you out," said he, in a pacifying tone. "I been standing here all afternoon looking for an honest man."

"Like Diogenes, eh?" said the stranger.

"Who?" said Mitche. "Don't know him. Anyway I am standing here all afternoon looking for an honest man and you are the first face I see which has even the general resemblance. I just wanted to be sure," said Mitche sadly. "You never can tell."

The stranger seemed mollified somewhat but still a bit dubious and considerably at sea.

"You," said Mitche, reassuringly, "are just the man I'm looking for."

"For what?" said the stranger.

"I never liked to leave propositions hanging."

"There's nothing hanging about this proposition," said Mitche. "Pure and simple, in brief, and make a long story short, I wish, sir, to give you fifty thousand dollars."

This appeared to please the stranger and arouse his interest no end.

"My uncle," said Mitche, "God rest him, has left fifty thousand dollars in my trust to distribute to the poor and the sick. As I, naturally, have to devote most of my time to other affairs, I am in quest of a man who I can be sure will distribute this fund honestly and—"

concluded Mitche with a flourish of his hand—"with justice."

"There is just one thing," continued Mitche. "O, Franklin," he called to the Pony Boy, "come over here, Franklin. Franklin," he exclaimed, Franklin. Franklin," he explained to the stranger, "is my secretary. Franklin, I want you to meet Mr. Er-or—"

"Simpson," said the stranger "J-

Gordon Simpson." Mr. Melli allowed Mr. Simpson to hold his limp, sweaty hand.

"Franklin," said Mitche the Snitch, with enthusiasm, "I think I have found just the right man. In fact," he said, looking into Mr. Simpson's fawn-brown eyes, "I am sure of it."

Mr. Simpson beamed.

"Mr. Simpson," continued Mitche, addressing himself once more to that worthy, "there is but one formality, a mere trifle of course, but by the peculiar terms of my uncle's will, the administrator is required to put up twenty-five hundred dollars of his own money just by way of good faith and all that. Of course you can raise that much, I presume?"

"I presume," said Mr. Simpson, somewhat drily. "And when I have put up my twenty-five hundred," he said, "then what?"

"Then," said Mitche, rubbing his hands, "my uncle's fifty thousand is placed with it and the entire sum left in your hands."

"That is," said Mr. Simpson, "I hold the money?"

"Exactly," said Mitche, "exactly."

"And while I am holding it," said Mr. Simpson, "you are seized with a sudden attack—a heart attack, shall we say?"

Mitche said nothing. Mitche was turning slightly blue around the collar-line. Mitche showed signs of edging away. But the ape-arm he had been holding was now holding him.

"And for his heart attack," continued the unruffled Mr. Simpson, "there is nothing that you feel will help it, nothing at all, except aspirin. Then you ask me, let us say, to step inside the drug store here and get some aspirin for you."

Mitche was trying to squirm out of the collar Mr. Simpson was holding.

"When I return," continued the placid Mr. Simpson, with a show of his gold teeth, "I find that you have miraculously recovered and

no longer need the aspirin. I find, in fact, that you are no longer here. Also I find that the roll of alleged bills I am holding, and in which you appeared to wrap my \$2,500, is in reality nothing but a phony roll made up of a few small bills and a lot of cigar coupons."

Mr. Simpson released his grip and shook his head sadly while Mitche the Snitch scraped an em-barrased toe on the sidewalk and Pony Boy dumbly gawked.

"And here I am," said Mr. Simpson, pursing his lips ruefully, "just ready to give my right eye for a smart partner I could put next to some real money, but of course a couple of lunkheads like you would only jam up the works."

"Give us a little credit," said Mitche the Snitch, face flushing.

"Can we help it if you look foolish?"

"Better to look foolish than to act that way," said Mr. Simpson.

"Listen," said Mitche, "unwrap this scheme of yours and give us a look-in. We'll show you who's foolish."

"I don't know about that," said Mr. Simpson, undecided. Mitche's imploring eyes broke his indecision. "All right," he said, "I'll let you in. How much money have you got?"

Mitche fingered the bills in his jeans uneasily. "I got eighteen hundred," he said; "it's our roll."

"We-ell," said Mr. Simpson, "not as much as we could use, but maybe it'll do." Mr. Simpson took out his own wallet and removed the contents. He counted into Mitche's astonished hand twenty \$100 bills.

"I have an aunt," said Mr. Simpson, "who is very hard-pressed for money. She lost nearly every-thing when the local bank failed. She's still got some securities worth at least \$50,000, but I persuaded her they aren't worth the paper they're printed on. Nevertheless, she is determined she won't turn them loose for less than \$5,000 and I just can't raise that

much money.

"I've borrowed everywhere I can and I tell you money's tight in this town since the bank failed. All I can raise is what I just handed you, but I am fairly sure that if you'll put your \$1,800 with it and offer the \$3,800 to my aunt that she'll strike a bargain. How about it?"

Mitche looked unbelievably at the pile of yellow bank-notes in his hand, sucking air, meanwhile, through his hollow tooth. "Who holds the money?"

"You're holding it now," said Mr. Simpson. Mitche sucked more air. "Yes," he said, "that's right."

"All you do," said Mr. Simpson, producing a card, "is take this and go up and get it." Mitche saw that on the card was written: "Patrick O'Connor, attorney, Sixth National Bank Building." O'Connor, broker, means that investors in bank stocks are liable to assessment, if the bank fails, for twice the par value of their stocks, to make good the depositors' losses."

Mitche looked sick. He was sick. Pony Boy looked sicker. Mitche rubbed his arm. "Come on," said Mitche. They fled.

They started out for Mr. O'Connor's office, determined to trash the thing out, and Mr. O'Connor, too, if needs be. But principally they were looking for J. Gordon Simpson.

It was then they saw him, striding along slick as a fat cat. There was a man with him, holding his arm. They were at the sidewalk waiting for a traffic light to change.

Mitche grabbed the corner policeman's arm. "See that man," he cried, pointing at the genial profile of Mr. Simpson, still waiting for the light.

"Yes," said the officer, a bit grimly, "I see him."

"Well," said Mitche, "quit gawking. Do your stuff. Grab him! He sucked me in for \$100,000—I mean \$3,800."

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Pony Boy had just enough cash to buy their tickets on the first train out. It happened to be heading west. Mitche looked at his watch. "We got half an hour," he said. "You wait while I hustle over and cash these things in. No use keeping them till Simpson starts looking for us."

"If it's all the same," said Pony Boy, "I think I'll go along."

Mitche's answer was the look of a man unjustly accused, but he offered no objection.

They waited importantly and confidently while the broker peered through the portfolio. He took but one look. "This stuff isn't worth anything," he said, "what do you think you're doing, trying to insult me? This is Sixth National Bank stock."

Mitche was agast. "You mean the one that bust?"

"Certainly," said the broker, "you couldn't even give the stuff away. In fact," he said, "you will have to pay double liability on it."

This phrase was a new one to Mitche, but it had an ominous sound. "What is double liability?"

"Double liability," said the broker, "means that investors in bank stocks are liable to assessment, if the bank fails, for twice the par value of their stocks, to make good the depositors' losses."

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Upstairs Messrs. Sparks and Melli were greeted perfunctorily by a middle-aged Irishman with cold eyes who said little as he took the \$3,800 produced by Mitche.

"Sign this note of transfer," said Mr. O'Connor, shoving a form to their side of the desk. This done, he handed them a portfolio of securities.

Mitche thumbed through them rapidly. Their par value added up to more than \$100,000. "Let's go," said Mitche, snapping the rubber tight around the portfolio.

Downstairs, they walked swiftly not toward the front door and the waiting Mr. Simpson, but out the back, into an alleyway. They threaded their way quickly through it. On the street again, they hailed a cab and drove to the nearest depot.

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PARIS.—The final week of the Autumn openings finds the leaders of the Paris couture defying adverse conditions and paving the royal road to coronation elegance. Evening gowns are in rich velvets, cloque laines, painted metal cloths, brocades and elaborate beads, jewel and metal embroideries. Gold or silver-embroidered lace and net are also used. Side by side with these luxurious creations are evening ensembles enriched with fur, and simple jersey frocks, interesting because of their draping.

Many formal evening gowns have extremely long trains, though they may be cut away up to the knees at the front. They are worn with regal head-dresses. Schiaparelli's lofty clusters of ostrich plumes suggest court presentations. Mainbocher's jewelled crescents are a modernised version of the diadem of the Empire. Chanel shows turban bandeaux fastened with multi-coloured ornaments.

Elegantes will have to take up the study of the occult to keep pace with the esoteric turn of the new mode. Lanvin has evolved horoscope frocks decorated



with astrological signs, and magicians' capes, belts and stoles. At Alix's one finds necromancers' caps, and at Schiaparelli's palmistry gloves. Stars, rosicrucian symbols and fetish buttons are ubiquitous.



Some Oriental fashions follow in the astrological wake. The garb of Egyptian, Chaldean and Greek magicians contributes to the design of head-dresses and costumes. Voluminous Arabian trousers or harem skirts for evening wear are shown by Lanvin, Mainbocher and others. Sometimes they are worn with jewelled anklets.

Embroidered bands, in two bright colours or gold and silver, inspired by African design, are used on dark frocks by Schiaparelli, Lelong and Lanvin. They appear on costumes for all hours of the day. Schiaparelli's painted and metalised kid trims and her wide velvet belts embroidered in colour are significant of the same trend. A smart variation of this theme is found in Mainbocher's beaded and tinsel bands, which are placed on the hems of skirts and tunics, or used to define hips and high waists of dressy frocks.

Alix's Caucasian and Persian tunic silhouettes have attracted much attention, as has her use of hand-woven scarfs for tunic blouses. Other interesting features in this couturiere's collection are her daytime jackets and turbans of tapestry, and her Dervish evening coat of velvet rug tapestry that is as voluminous as the airy organza gown it shelters.

There are mundane and Occidental influences and silhouettes, however, to compete with the "mystic" evening mode. The styles of the Regency, the French Revolution, Louis XIV, Louis XV and Boldini's portraits, all have their devotees among the leading couturiers. Tunics of every length, and variety are still prominent.

AND NOW— RHUBARB

Rhubarb Jellies

HALF-FILL some sundae glasses with steamed or stewed rhubarb, well chilled. Cover with a layer of custard sauce. When set, decorate with sliced banana. Make a milk rhubarb jelly from a packet of lemon jelly crystals, mixed according to instructions on packet, but using half a pint of rhubarb juice and water and half a pint of custard sauce instead of a pint of water. Turn out. Fill centre with stewed or steamed rhubarb.

Rhubarb And Sago Mould

TAKE ¼lb. rhubarb, 6oz. sugar, ¼lb. sago, 2 cupsful water.

First simmer the rhubarb in one cupful of water for ten minutes. Then soak the sago in the remaining cupful of water for the same time. Add sago and sugar to rhubarb, and simmer ten minutes longer. Pour into wet moulds. Turn out when set, and serve with custard sauce or whipped cream.

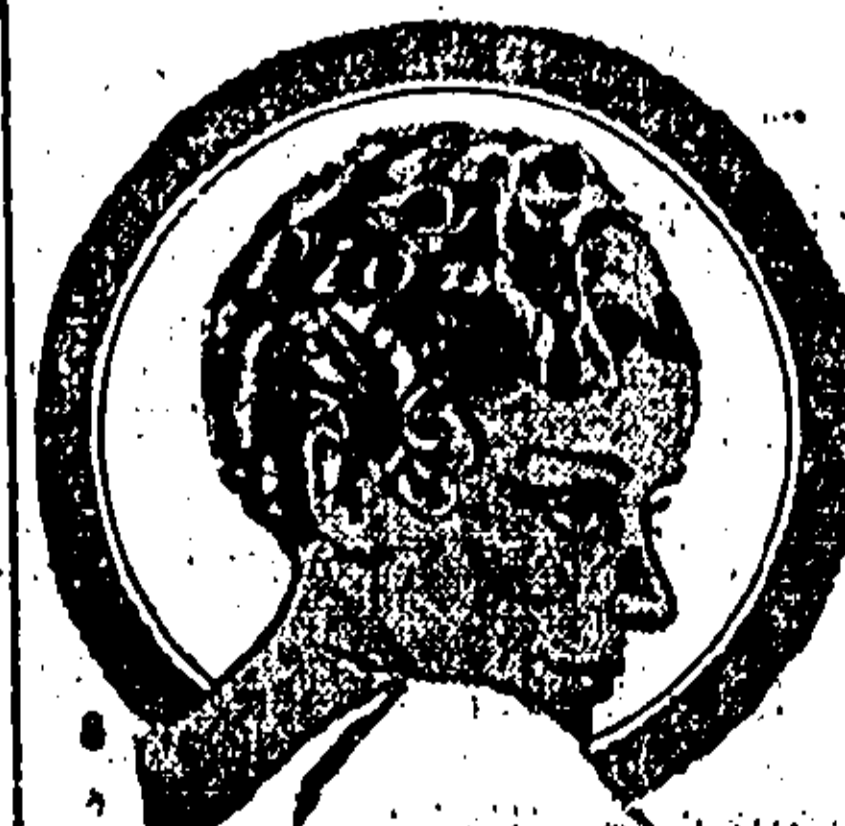
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TAKE 1lb. rhubarb, 8 cloves, 1 inch length stick cinnamon, 1½ cupsful sugar, 1 cupful whipped cream, grated rind and juice 1 lemon.

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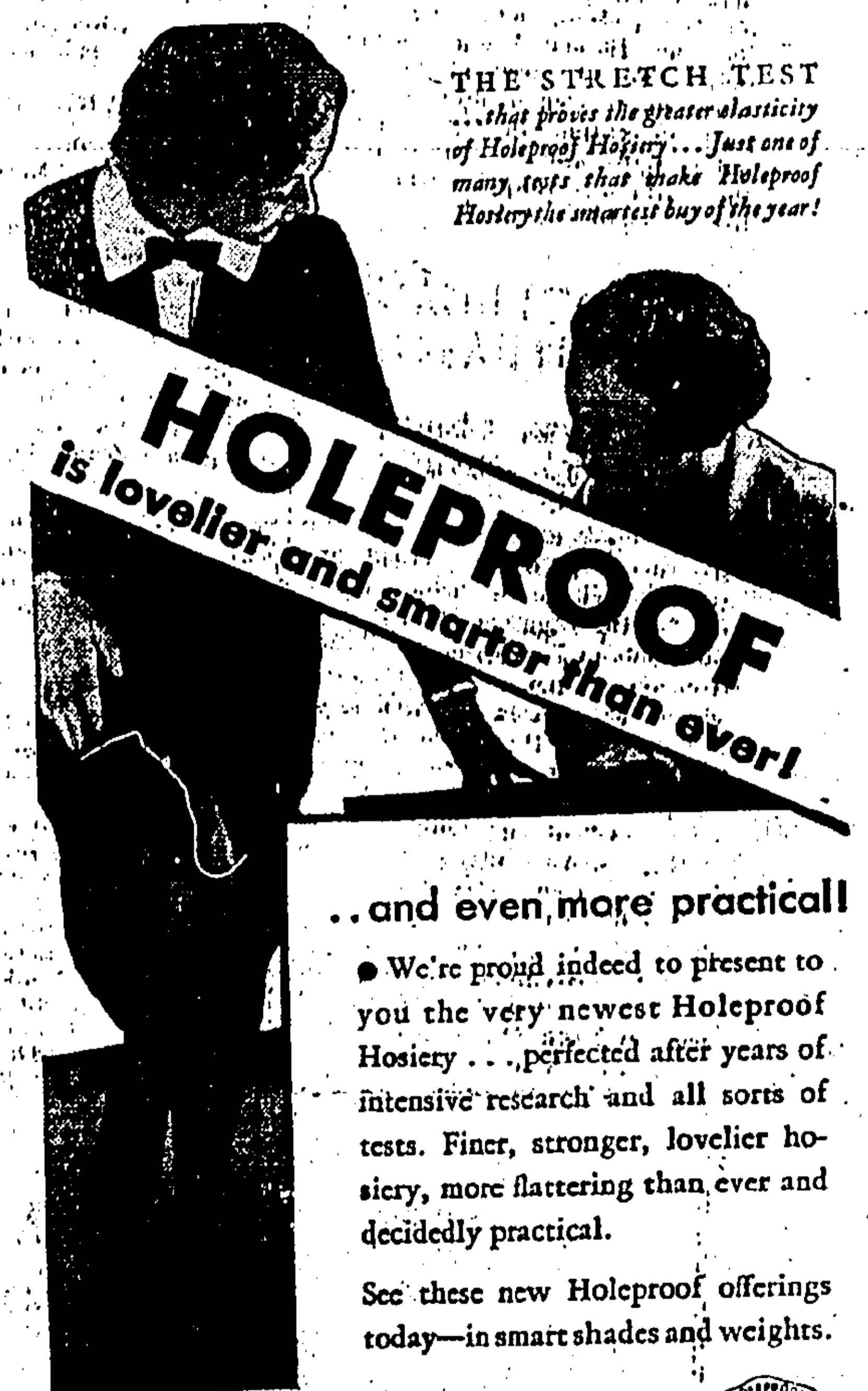
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Yesterday's Goalscorers

FIRST DIVISION	
Elliott (Club)	1
Wilson (Club)	2
Chan Tak-fai (S. China 'B')	2
Yuk Hui-woo (S. China 'B')	2
Hartigan (Rifles)	1
Ferguson (Rifles)	1
Moore (Rifles)	1
Tong Kwan (S. China 'B')	1
Lai Wah-tai (Athletic)	1
Chiu Cheu-fun (Athletic)	1
Cheung Shin-hing (Eastern)	1
Gomes (Recreio)	1
Ackersley (East Lanes)	1
Ward (St. Joseph's)	1
Delgado (St. Joseph's)	1
SECOND DIVISION	
McLeod (Navy)	2
Wolff (Navy)	2
Griffin (East Lanes)	2
Powlett (Engineers)	2
Lee Pin-leung (S. China)	2
Wong Kam-woon (S. China)	2
Gilchrist (Club)	2
Yip Lai-yeo (Chinese Police)	2
Ching Wing-kam (Chinese Police)	2
Boyd (Rifles)	2
Kaye (Rifles)	2
Darby (Engineers)	2
Hurst (Engineers)	2
Mok Yim-mang (S. China)	2
Wai Fu-kuen (Athletic)	2
Cornwall (Navy)	2
Harmworth (East Lanes)	2
S. Hamet (Eastern)	2
Hau Ching-to (Eastern)	2
Nash (R.A. Lyemun)	2
Knight (R.A. Lyemun)	2
THIRD DIVISION	
Crossley (East Lanes)	3
Ribeiro (Recreio)	2
Jordan (Engineers)	2
Mulvey (East Lanes)	2
Rumjahn (St. Joseph's)	2
Attoe (R.A.O.C.)	2
Hodgkinson (R.A.O.C.) (own goal)	2
Guterres (Recreio)	2

CLUB GO NAP! FORROW & E. STRANGE IN BEST FORM ELLIOTT RIGHT ON THE MARK

THE Club opened the season on a bright note when they inflicted a crushing defeat on their old rivals, the Police, by the convincing total of five goals to nil after leading 1-0 at the interval yesterday afternoon.

Definitely superior in all departments, the Club played with method and precision throughout and fittingly converted their midfield dominance into a handsome crop of goals. Only at one period of the game did the Police move to the forefront — in the later stages of the initial half, but the Club's defence was sufficiently adequate to counter a slight slackening-off by the middle and front lines, and re-assert their superiority. Continuing to hold the balance of play after the interval, they pressed home numerous attacks, during which they gave the Police defenders a very harassing time.

Credit for the Club's hand-some victory can be attributed to the sterling work of their middle line. Here, Forrow, Ernie Strange, Drown, and, later on, Skinner, played to such purpose that not only did they subdue the rival attack, but they also gave excellent support to their own forwards. There were actually periods when they were in such close harmony with the front-line men as to confront the Police defence with a row of eight forwards! Forrow played with rare judgment, his covering, tackling, heading and ball distribution marking him as the

outstanding man of the match. Not far behind was the clever Ernie Strange, the combination of this wing-half with Bickford and Wilson being one of the main features of the Club's display.

Drown filled the dual role of right-half and inside forward (Skinner failing to put in an appearance until towards the close of the first-half) and there was not a more hard-working individual on the whole of the field.

Elliott opened the season in rare form, particularly with his marksmanship, while Bickford, Fowler and Wilson established an excellent understanding and played with a refreshing eagerness, allied with ball artistry and skill that often had the Police defenders hopelessly "at sea." Hill and Syd. Strange were rarely in any sort of difficulty and Rodger was also usual safe self between the sticks.

Few of the Police players lived up to their reputations, with the exception of McHardy, who had a busy day and pulled off some clever clearances. Blackburn was steady, but Greig was not impressive. North showed flashes of his old form, as did Brook, but the Police halves and forwards were not a great success, although Morrison now and then came into prominence with deft ball control and elusive swerves.

Bickford Breaks Net

Elliott was twice on the target in the opening stages, but the first thrill was provided by Bickford, who, receiving a cross-shot from Fowler, crashed a powerful shot into the net, the referee signalling a goal. Strong protests were voiced by the Police and the official then reversed his decision when it was discovered that Bickford's shot had torn its way through the side netting!

Seven minutes later the Club opened the score, Fowler beating McHardy with a header after Elliott's effort had rebounded from off the woodwork. Within two minutes of the start of the second half Wilson increased the lead, easily steering a neat pass from Bickford off of McHardy's reach. After 23 minutes the Club met with further success, Fowler completely fooling the defence by feinting to centre, hesitating again, then spooning a lightly kicked ball into the goalmouth, where the alert Elliott was quick

Yesterday's Results At A Glance

FIRST DIVISION	
EAST LANES	1 ST. JOSEPH'S 2
CLUB	5 POLICE 0
KOWLOON	0 RIFLES 3
ATHLETIC	2 S. CHINA 'B' 5
EASTERN	1 RECREIO 1

SECOND DIVISION

EAST LANES	3 R.A. (LYEMUN) 2
ENGINEERS	4 R.A. (SCUTTERS) 0
CLUB	1 C. POLICE 2
NAVY	12 EASTERN 2
KOWLOON	0 RIFLES 2
ATHLETIC	1 S. CHINA 5

THIRD DIVISION

EAST LANES	4 ST. JOSEPH'S 1
ENGINEERS	2 RECREIO 3
R.A.O.C.	2 R.A.S.C. 0

to seize his chance to send it home. Two quick goals followed, first Elliott completed his "hat-trick" and a minute later Wilson wound up some tricky work with a powerful drive to the top left-hand corner of the goal.

Club:—Rodger; Hill, Strange (S.); Skinner, Forrow, Strange (E.); Fowler, Drown, Elliott, Wilson and Bickford.

Police:—McHardy; Blackburn, Greig; North, Brooks, Parker; Gough, Johnson, Green, Morrison and Moss.

MCLEOD SCORES EIGHT GOALS

RELEGATED ARTILLERY TEAMS FAIL

EASTERN AND CHINESE POLICE SHOW PROMISE

MANY sensational upsets were recorded in the opening of the Hong Kong Football League yesterday, the 5 goals to nil defeat inflicted on the Police by the Club, St. Joseph's unexpected win over the East Lanes, by the odd goal in three, and Eastern's successful debut against Club de Recreio, with whom they shared two goals, being the highlights of the First Division.

Lyemun and Stonecutters, relegated to the Second Division, did not fare at all well, both being beaten, the latter by the Sappers, who are expected to offer a strong challenge for the divisional honours, while the Navy commenced their season in characteristic manner by piling up a round dozen goals against Eastern's second string. The Chinese Police made a successful debut in this division with a win over the Club juniors.

Recreio provided the only surprise in the Third Division by beating the Sappers by the odd goal, while the Corps "Derby" match resulted in a win for the Ordnance.

High individual scoring was a feature of the day, McLeod, the Navy's junior leader, netting on eight occasions against Eastern, including two successive "hat-tricks!"

South China "B," who were featured in nine drawn League matches last season, commenced well with a clear-cut victory over the new Athletic team, and, together with the Club and Rifles, look like giving the present champions, South China "A," a good run for their money.

The Kowloon F.C. entertained the Ulster Rifles yesterday in their first match this season, and a fairly large and enthusiastic crowd witnessed a fast and keenly contested game in which the Rifles proved their superiority by a 3-0 victory.

The outstanding feature of the game was the splendid manner in which the soldiers combined, their teamwork being exceptionally good. Although Kowloon offered spirited opposition and worked extremely hard to reduce their arrears, they had not, by any means, the finishing qualities of their opponents.

For the home team, Everest and Bowen played a sterling full back game, and did much to break up the fast onslaughts of the Rifles forwards. Boyd and Bliss in the intermediate line were also good, and gave Knox, the centre-forward, some perfect passes.

The Rifles' forwards proved to be a constant source of menace to the home defence, Ferguson and Stevens being the pick of the front line, whilst Moore and Campbell excelled in their respective half-back positions.

LYEMUN UNLUCKY

The Second Division soccer game between the East Lanes and Lyemun, who were making their first appearance in this division, proved an extremely fast and interesting game, the former just managing to win by the odd goal in five.

The East Lanes, opened their scoring through Harmworth, and secured their second goal as a result of a penalty converted by Griffin.

Lyemun found the net through Knight. The second half opened with a further goal from Griffin, but Lyemun forced a corner as a result of which Nash scored.

East Lanes:—Williams; Hardworth; Johnson; Cox, Carroll, Powers; Swain, Griffin, Harmworth, Mather and Tully.

Lyemun:—McCrill; Boyle, Clancy; Taylor, Sparks, Fisher; Nash, Brown, Coughlan, Knight and Rivers.

McLEOD SCORES EIGHT

In their Second Division encounter against Eastern at Causeway Bay, the Navy inflicted an overwhelming defeat upon their visitors winning by 12 goals to 2.

A penalty against Eastern and converted by Gould opened the Navy's scoring and this was quickly followed by one from Wolff.

McLeod, the Navy centre-forward, then helped himself to four goals before Eastern scored through S. Hamet just before the interval.

The second half was a replica of the first. McLeod, Wolff, and Cornwall, from a penalty, scoring for the sailors, and McLeod completing the Navy's tally with another "hat-trick." Just before the end Hao Ching-to scored Eastern's second goal.

The outstanding player on the field was the Navy centre-forward, McLeod, who was ably supported by Wallace and Wolff. For Eastern, Lee Chee-hung, Lee Wai-rum and Luk Fook-wah, shone.

SOUTH CHINA WIN

South China juniors proved their superiority over the Athletic in their Second Division encounter at Caroline Hill, defeating their opponents by 5 goals to 1.

The South China forwards were a delight to watch, showing perfect combination with their

half-back line. Tse Kam-hung was particularly good in the left half position.

South China opened their account with a goal by Wong Kam-woon, and after the interval they went further ahead through Lee Pin-leung, while Mok Yim-mang scored a few minutes later with an excellent shot. Lee Pin-leung again scored and the South China halves then seemed content to rest on their laurels, enabling Wai Fu-kuen to net a goal for the Athletic. Wong Kam-woon, however, remedied this slip by scoring from 15 yards.

A fine breakaway by Hartigan on the left wing resulted in this player opening the score for the Rifles, after he had passed the ball to Erwin. The right-winger shot hard for goal, but Boyes apparently had the sun in his eyes and failed to hold the shot and Hartigan had only to tap it into the net.

Almost immediately after the interval the Rifles should have been sent further ahead by Ferguson, who missed a "sitter," but soon after Ferguson came into the limelight with a glorious left-footed drive which left Boyes helpless.

Boyes made several spectacular saves during the last few minutes, but in the last minute he misjudged a shot from Moore, the Rifles' centre-half, which went over his head into the back of the net.

Kowloon F.C.:—Boyes; Bowen; Everest; Roberts, Bliss, Boyd; Eastman, G. White, D. Knox, V. White, and Hornball.

Ulster Rifles:—Connor; Pickering; Stevens; Campbell, Moore, McGonnigal; Irwin, Doherty, Ferguson, Stevens and Hartigan.

KOWLOON FAIL

The Rifles were entertained by Kowloon yesterday in their opening Second Division fixture, and after a very mediocre game secured both points with a 2 goals to nil victory.

The soldiers played a smooth, open game with the result that they were seldom overworked. Killen and Boyd were extremely dangerous in the attack, whilst they were well supported by their halves. Minhinnet, the Kowloon custodian, was the best man on view, and saved his side from a far greater margin of defeat. Harkins was good at centre-half, and Evans was the pick of the forwards.

The Rifles' opening score was disallowed for off-side. However, they were soon in the lead with a goal by Boyd and in the closing stages, Kaye added to the Rifles' score.

Kowloon:—Minhinnet; Kemp, Humphreys; Mackenzie, Harkins, Mills; Guterres, W. Knox, Evans, Winch and Ellis.

Rifles:—Bramwell; Coyle, Wilson; McCauley, Kinney, Murdoch; Farrell, Wilson, Killen, Boyd and Kaye.



A. S. Bliss, above, gave a sterling display at centre-half for Kowloon against the Rifles yesterday in the First Division.

Saints Deserve Win Over East Lanes.

The premier League game between the East Lanes and St. Joseph's at Sookunpoo resulted in a 2-1 win for the latter team after an unexciting match.

St. Joseph's fielded practically the same eleven as last season, with the exceptions of Castilho and Delgado, formerly of Recreio, who proved an undoubted asset in what was a fairly workmanlike combination. The East Lanes, relied on last season's side with the exception of the last-minute replacement of Lawton by Radcliffe, an ex-Second Division player.

Marques, in goal for the Saints, was reliable at most times and was unfortunate to have the solitary goal recorded against him from a scrimmage in the goalmouth after a fine save from Ridings, the ball being netted by Eckersley.

Souza and Costa were kept pretty busy by Sandford and Eckersley, but offset their play by indiscriminate clearing. The intermediate line were up to standard, but did not seem to find time to feed their forwards, while Ward and Delgado were the pick of the front line, each being credited with a goal. Leonard, in the leader's position, seemed to lack enthusiasm and never appeared very dangerous.

Sandford, who played such fine football for the soldiers at the close of last season, seemed to be suffering from the effects of the close season, and Ridings and Eckersley were the pick of the forwards. Oxford, although hampered by what appeared to be the nervousness of his backs, played well.

Eckersley opened the scoring for the soldiers after 10 minutes' play, Ridings sending in a fine centre which was deflected by Marques only for Eckersley to score during the resultant scrimmage. The Saints took the offensive after this and a fine run down by Ward caught Swain and Steele off their guard and the resultant centre was netted by Delgado in no undervalued style. Hussain's persistent endeavours to feed Ward, eventually bore fruit when, as a result of some clever passing on the part of Fernandes and Ward, the latter finally netted with a drive that left Oxford standing.

St. Joseph's were the more convincing side.

St. Joseph's:—Marques; Costa, Souza, Elms, Hussain, Omar; Fernandes, Ward, Leonard, Delgado and Castilho.

East Lanes:—Oxford; Swain, Steele; Thorpe, Gorman, Crowther; Eckersley, Sandford, Smith, Ridings and Radcliffe.

South China Forwards Puzzle Athletic

South China "B" began the season well by defeating Athletic in their premier League soccer clash at Caroline Hill yesterday by 5 goals to 2.

Throughout, the combination shown by the South China forward line was excellent and, after an indifferent start, their shooting became very deadly, so fierce indeed that four goals of their total were registered during the opening half. The South China halves, Tong Kwan, Lam Tak-po and Henry Young, never wavered, and were largely responsible for the team's success. Much of the work of the Athletic halves was wasted on a slow forward line and by misdirection. Tam Kwan-kon, the Athletic custodian, must be commended, however, on his excellent display throughout, and more especially during the latter stages of the game.

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Third Division Results

ORDNANCE WIN

Playing last season in the Second Division as a combined eleven, the R.A.S.C. and R.A.O.C. opened their 1936-7 Third Division programme with a "needle" match against each other at Happy Valley yesterday, the latter emerging victors by two goals to nil.

The game was scrappy, robust play by McQueen and Hopkinson, for the victors, and Hodgkinson, for the Service Corps, keeping both sets of forwards at bay. Hodgkinson scored into his own goal in trying to clear shortly before half time and Attoe netted the Ordnance Corps' second goal from a feeble free kick.

TO-DAY'S LEAGUE FOOTBALL

Kowloon Chinese Make Debut

The outstanding feature of this afternoon's League football programme will be the debut appearance of the Kowloon Chinese Football Club in the First and Second Divisions, and in the Funniers, whom they meet at Sookunpoo, they have worthy opponents who will test their strength in no uncertain manner.

As most of the Chinese Club's players were formerly of the Athletic, some sparkling soccer should be the order of the day. The same two teams meet in the Second Division, where the soldiers are expected to register their first win this season.

In the Third Division, the Kwong Wah, or China Light and

SAPPERS SURPRISED

Recreio made a fine debut in the Third Division at Happy Valley when they defeated a strong Engineers' eleven by 3 goals to 2. Recreio revealed superior form, Reis and Ribeiro, with Figueroa backing up splendidly, distinguishing themselves, while wild shooting in front of goal by Jordan and Brown lost the Sappers many goals.

Ribeiro (2) and Guterres scored for Recreio, while L. Jordan (2) replied for the Engineers.

SAINTS WELL BEATEN

The East Lanes, again commenced their Third Division season with a win, defeating St. Joseph's at Chatham Road by 4 goals to 1.

Crossley gave the soldiers the lead in the first half with two quick goals. Rumjahn reduced the arrears in the second half, but Crossley and Mulvey added two more goals for the East Lanes, during the closing stages.

Power Co., make their first appearance in the League and should fully extend the European Police, who are expected to win.

The following is a forecast of to-day's games:—

FIRST DIVISION

Funniers v Kowloon Chinese (Sookunpoo, 4.45 p.m.)

SECOND DIVISION

Funniers v Kowloon Chinese (Sookunpoo, 3.15 p.m.)

THIRD DIVISION

Kwong Wah v European Police (Kowloon, 4.45 p.m.)

Chinese Police v Liga Portuguesa (Kowloon, 3.15 p.m.)

Air Force v Medicals (Chatham Road, 4.45 p.m.)

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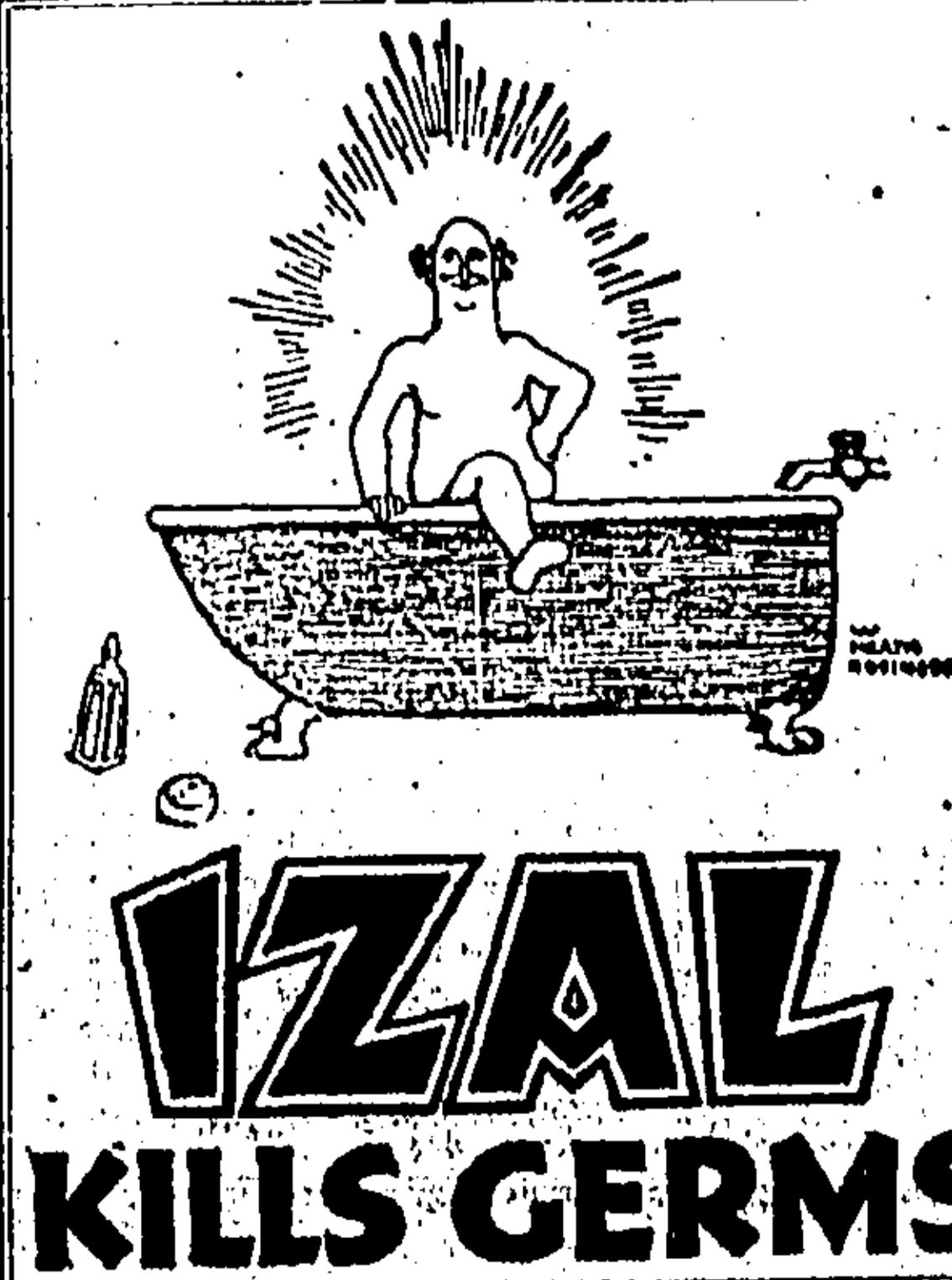
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Recreio Juniors At It Again!

RECORD WIN OVER CIVIL SERVANTS

L. J. SILVA ESTABLISHES NEW RINK MARK

RECREIO Juniors concluded the 1936 lawn bowls League season yesterday with a new record. By beating the Civil Service by 65 shots they established a new winning record, bettering their previous best—64 against K.C.C. Juniors. This was the fifth time in 18 matches that they had topped the 90 mark, the other occasions being 95 v. Yacht Club; 93 v. K.C.C.; 91 v. H.K.F.C. "B"; and 90 v. Police. L. J. Silva also established a new rink record, beating R. R. Davies by 36 shots—Davies scored on only four of the 21 heads. A. R. Dallah, of the I.R.C. in the premier division, also has a 36-shot win to his credit—over F. J. Jones (C.S.C.C.).

YESTERDAY'S BOWLS AT A GLANCE

First Division
CLUB DE RECREIO (68) .. 50 CRAIGENGOWER "B" (46) 58
TAIKOO DOCK (—) .. 66 CIVIL SERVICE (—) .. 56

Second Division
CIVIL SERVICE (62) .. 30 CLUB DE RECREIO (67) .. 95
Figures in brackets denote result of corresponding game last season.

Final 1936 Lawn Bowls League Standings

FIRST DIVISION									
	P.	W.	L.	F.	A.	Up	Dn.	Pts.	
Craigengower "A"	18	17	1	196	935	261	0	34	
Club de Recreio	18	12	6	1131	930	151	0	24	
Kowloon B. G. C.	18	11	7	1122	1021	101	0	22	
Craigengower "B"	18	10	8	1048	1052	0	14	20	
Police R. C.	18	9	9	1030	1072	0	42	18	
Kowloon C. C.	18	8	10	1035	1058	0	23	16	
Kowloon Dock	18	7	11	1040	1086	0	46	14	
Civil Service	18	6	12	1017	1093	0	76	12	
Indian R. C.	18	5	13	985	1132	0	147	10	
Taikoo Dock	18	5	13	955	1120	0	165	10	
Totals	180	90	90	10559	10559	513	513	180	

SECOND DIVISION									
	P.	W.	L.	F.	A.	Up	Dn.	Pts.	
Kowloon B. G. C.	18	16	2	0	1265	869	396	0	32
Club de Recreio	18	14	4	0	1217	885	362	0	28
H.K.F.C. "A"	18	11	7	0	1087	1062	25	0	22
Craigengower	18	9	9	1	1010	1047	0	37	19
Police R. C.	18	8	10	0	1044	1075	0	31	18
Kowloon C. C.	18	8	10	0	990	1135	0	145	16
H.K.F.C. "B"	18	7	11	0	982	1136	0	154	14
H. K. Electric	18	5	12	1	995	1105	0	110	11
Yacht Club	18	5	12	1	960	1153	0	193	11
Civil Service	18	4	13	1	994	1107	0	113	9
Totals	180	88	88	4	10574	10574	783	783	180

RECREIO SURPRISED

At King's Park, Craigengower "B" beat Club de Recreio by 8 shots.

Recreio	C.C.C. "B"
J. G. Ozorio	J. W. Leonard
J. M. S. Rosario	J. Fitzgerald
F. V. V. Ribeiro	K. M. Omar
C. G. Silva	W. K. Way
(skip)	(skip)
A. Luz	L. C. R. Souza
A. Remedios	W. Bagley
C. E. Marques	A. M. Omar
H. A. Alves	W. Gill
(skip)	(skip)
D. C. Alves	B. W. Whiteman
G. M. P. Remedios	J. Pau
J. Basto	J. Cavanagh
F. X. Silva	W. V. Field
(skip)	(skip)
Totals	60

TAIKOO'S LAST BID

At Taikoo, Taikoo Dock Recreation Club beat Civil Service Cricket Club by 10 shots.

T.D.R.C.	C.S.C.C.
J. Norrie	A. Stevens
J. White	C. Strange
R. Keown	W. Burling
R. Wallace	R. R. Wood
(skip)	(skip)
J. Waid	P. E. Knight
F. Pattinson	J. Gellatley
W. Cunningham	L. A. Collyer
J. C. Chalmers	J. F. McGowan
(skip)	(skip)
W. Brown	J. Purvis
W. Melrose	J. Bentley
T. Young	W. Cullips
J. Polson	J. Hollidge
(skip)	(skip)
Totals	66

RECREIO AVALANCHE

At Happy Valley, Club de Recreio beat Civil Service Cricket Club by 65 shots.

C.S.C.C.	Recreio
H. F. Harper	P. A. Xavier
E. Kirmon	H. Noronha
H. Westlake	C. Lopes
H. F. Westlake	C. H. Basto
(skip)	(skip)
M. Cunietti	E. Alves
J. R. Carr	C. Roza-Pereira
W. R. Hillier	H. A. Barros
R. R. Davies	L. J. Silva
(skip)	(skip)
J. Cook	C. M. Xavier
P. D. Crawley	C. M. Silva
A. B. Allan	F. Yanovich
H. E. Strange	F. Soares
(skip)	(skip)
Totals	30

FOOTBALL CLUB BOWLS RESULTS

Prize Presentation To-day

The following are the results of the Hong Kong Football Club lawn bowls tournaments:—

Club Championship: winner J. Rodgers; Runner-up E. J. Edwards.

Singles Handicap: winner E. J. Edwards; (—5) Runner-up G. S. Rodgers (+2).

Club Pairs:—
Winners L. A. Collyer and Dr. G. I. Shaw.

Runners-up Dr. J. A. R. Selby and G. S. Graver.

Rink Competition: Winners G. E. Stephens, A. McKellar, E. S. Carter and K. S. Robertson (skip).

Wappinshaw Competition 1st prize: J. F. MacGowan; 2nd Prize: Dr. G. I. Shaw; 3rd Prize: J. H. Gelling; 4th Prize: G. S. Graver.

The presentation of prizes will take place at the conclusion of the Rink Game arranged for the closing day to-day at 2.45 p.m.

CLUB RUGBY TRIAL

Colours v Whites To-morrow

The Hong Kong Football Club Rugby Section commence their training season proper to-morrow afternoon at the Valley, where their first trial game, between sides selected from the teams below, will take place.

Everybody will be given an opportunity of playing and all mentioned below are requested to put in an appearance to-morrow, or on Wednesdays, October 7 and 14, on which days further trials will be held.

The following are likely to be seen in action to-morrow:—

Whites:—G. S. Wilson, Chadwick, D. A. Hynes, Bidwell, Grieve, van Leeuwen, Lammer, Butcher, Bonnar, F. C. B. Black, Russell, Chambers, Clark, Stoker, R. F. Edwards, Garrod, Redman, Paul, Munro, Smalley, Cox, and Curtiss.

Colours:—Frost, Hopkins, Kistner, Gallagher, Griffiths, Reid, Stewart, Hutchison, Henderson, Humphreys, Peers, Dunnet, Walkden, Bradford, Watson, Copplin, Schnabel, Cummings, Andrews, Sharp, F. B. Wilson, Hands, B. Hynes, R. Edwards, and Scott.

KHO SIN-KIE LOSES IN PARIS

Paris, Yesterday.—In the international lawn tennis championships which are being played here, Andre Merila, of France, beat Kho Sin-kie, China's National singles champion and first string Davis Cup player, by 1—6, 8—6, 8—6, 6—4, in the Semi-Final Round.—Reuter.

SCOUTS' AQUATIC SPORTS

Three New Records Established

2ND HONG KONG WIN THE BIRD CUP

Three records were broken at the annual swimming sports of the Hong Kong Boy Scouts' Association in the Victoria Recreation Club's bath yesterday.

There was a large gathering present, among whom were Sir William Horrell, Mr. E. Cook, the Hon. Dr. R. H. Kotewall and Mr. H. S. Mok. The Hon. Mr. T. H. King and Mrs. King were also present, and at the conclusion of the sports the prizes were distributed by Mrs. King.

25 Yards free-style (Junior Wolf Cubs): 1. G. Roza-Pereira (13th Kowloon); 2. M. da Roza (13th Kowloon). Time: 20 3/4 secs.

50 Yards free-style (Senior Championship): 1. N. Lee (5th Kowloon); 2. Leung Tam-king (8th Kowloon); 3. A. Azedo (2nd H.K.). Time: 26 3/4 secs. (Record).

50 Yards free-style (Junior Championship): 1. T. George (13th Kowloon); 2. C. Marcel (2nd H.K.); 3. G. Gosano (3rd Kowloon). Time: 31 secs.

25 Yards free-style (Senior Wolf Cubs): 1. A. Bnyot (2nd H.K.); 2. B. da Roza (13th Kowloon). Time: 16 4/5 secs.

100 Yards free-style (Senior): 1. N. Lee (5th Kowloon); 2. L. Remedios (2nd H.K.); 3. B. Paul (4th H.K.). Time: 50 1/2 secs. (Record).

Diving (Junior Wolf Cubs): 1. J. Locke (4th Kowloon); 2. E. Remedios (13th Kowloon).

50 Yards back-stroke (Junior): 1. P. Jorge (13th Kowloon); 2. J. Marques (2nd H.K.); 3. G. Gosano (13th Kowloon).

50 Yards back-stroke (Senior): 1. N. Lee (5th Kowloon); 2. A. Azedo (2nd Hong Kong); 3. Pung Cheuk-wan (15th Hong Kong).

Diving (Junior Scouts): 1. M. Stephenson (4th Kowloon); 2. J. Hamon (1st Sea Scouts).

50 Yards breast-stroke (Junior): 1. C. Marcel (2nd H.K.); 2. So Kwok-wing (1st Sea Scouts); 3. J. Marques (2nd Hong Kong). Time: 40 secs. (Record).

Life Saving Race: 1. A. Alves (2nd Hong Kong); 2. So Kwok-wing (1st Sea Scouts); 3. J. Soares (2nd H.K.).

Inter-pack relay race: 1. 2nd Hong Kong; 2. 13th Kowloon.

50 Yards breast-stroke (Senior): 1. L. Remedios (2nd H.K.); 2. Chung Shun-cheung (2nd H.K.); 3. R. Maycock (4th H.K.). Time: 37 4/5 secs.

Diving (Senior Scouts): 1. A. Noronha (2nd H.K.); 2. L. Remedios (2nd H.K.); 3. D. Kennard (1st Sea Scouts).

100 Yards free-style (Open to Scouts, Rovers, Cubs and Deep Sea Scouts): 1. M. Gaan (2nd Hong Kong); 2. D. Rawe (Deep Sea Scouts).

Bird Challenge Cup: Won by 2nd Hong Kong (30 1/2 points); 2. 13th Kowloon (10 1/2 points).

Akela Cup: Won by 13th Kowloon (9 points); 2. 2nd Hong Kong (6 points).

GALA POSTPONED

Owing to the strong wind and the choppy seas the swimming gala of the Chinese Civil Service Club, which was to have been held at their pavilion at North Point last night, was postponed until this evening at 7.30 p.m.

RECREIO TENNIS

Miss Alice Roza Wins For Second Time

Several important tennis matches were played at Club de Recreio yesterday. Miss Alice Roza, the holder, retaining her Ladies' singles championship title by beating Miss Cissy Osmond 6-4, 6-4.

Two matches in the Semi-Final Round of the Men's singles championship were also played, J. Gonsalves entering the Final Round by beating M. Oliveira 6-3, 6-2, 6-0, while A. V. Remedios, the favourite, beat his older brother F. J. Remedios, by 6-1, 6-2, 6-4, and will now meet Gonsalves in the Final.

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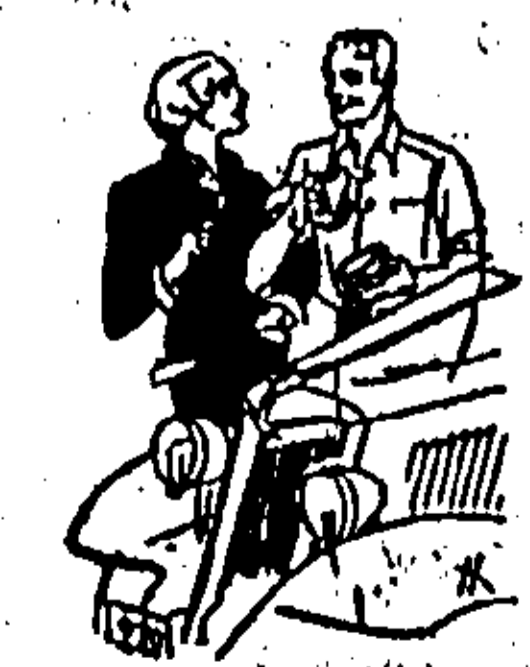
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MODERATION IN ALL THINGS

How Pleasures Turn To Vices

Miseries Engendered By The Gambling Habit

(By KATHLEEN NORMAN)

THE anxious face of a handsome young woman looked out from the morning papers a few weeks ago; her photograph was taken in a gaol; she had just been sentenced for passing bad cheques.

She is the daughter of a distinguished professional man; she had an interesting childhood of travel and unusual contacts; she made a good marriage. It was only when they had been married for several months that her young doctor husband made his first mild protest against her passion for cards.

All this woman wants to do in this life is play cards. Contract bridge is her one interest; she is happy only when she can play it day and night. Her home—the beautiful little country home with a garden that was her father's wedding gift to her—meant nothing to her. Her husband meant nothing; she would not have children. Disorder, dirt, debt, these were the only conditions the husband knew in the three years they were together. Olive never did anything but play bridge.

Daily Programme
She slept late every morning; the maid carried in her coffee at 10; at 11 she was dressed and ready for the day. She went then to the house of some friend, and they and two others of their sort played a rubber before lunch.

Then the cheerful little meal—the sort of meal that women love—and then more cards until six o'clock, when Olive went home dreamily for an hour's sleep; an abstracted dinner, and a change of costume for the evening game. The only tragedy she ever knew was when she could not get up a good game. Some sort of game always was possible; sometimes she even coaxed her husband into playing.

After two years of this they rented the house and went to a boarding-house, and Olive went on playing bridge. She took lessons in bridge; she read articles about bridge.

When her husband asked for a divorce his plea was that his wife had no other interest in life but the game. He got his divorce and Olive got £3,150 a month.

She lived in a small room, she skinned meals, she went on playing bridge. But save as she would, and gamble as she would, she couldn't make ends meet, so she got a job.

Cafeteria Job
The job was in a cafeteria, as cashier, and a few weeks ago Olive cashed a cheque for an old patron, took a tracing of the signature, and presently forged it on a cheque for £150. Now she will spend two years in gaol.

Her mother died of grief: she was in the court when the sentence was pronounced, went home crushed and heart-broken, and never left her bed again.

It seems incredible that a mere game, an amusement intended to

fill an idle hour now and then, could so take possession of a handsome, well-born and well-educated woman; but this is a true story, and not the only one of its kind.

There is a certain fever bred of card playing, or of gambling of any sort, that takes possession of apparently sensible folk sometimes, and carries them far away from their moorings, blinds them to all other considerations.

No drug ever has its victims in a crueller grip than cards. And women, who have more leisure, and who do everything with swifter force than men, are often natural gamblers.

Middle-aged, idle, perhaps bored with the dull routine of respectable middle-class existence, they find a tremendous excitement in card playing, and the more they have of it the more they want it.

Pleasures Into Vices
Most pleasures grow into vices if we give them free play. Perhaps that is why some of the sterner Puritan sects prohibited them even in their innocent forms.

Europe has legally banished the roulette wheel. "On the races," they say in France, "a man loses his own money. On the wheel he loses his firm's money."

So roulette, discredited and disgraced, was banished to the south, and set up formally in the tiny principality of Monaco. The Prince permitted it there; it paid all the taxes of his kingdom; he did not need to tax his people at all.

The beautiful casinos stand close to the rocky coast, the green beautiful waves rush in, the villas cluster under their rich mantle of trees, the houses have all the mellowed charm of the Riviera.

But I don't like Monte Carlo. The air there is positively sickening to me; it is poisoned with human misery. Sweet with flower perfumes, scented by the sea, embellished with all those European touches that make the continent so fascinating—tables outside the restaurants, wandering violin players, awnings, chatter of all the languages of the world, still Monaco smells to me like a charnel house.

Only Visitors

The residents there are not permitted to gamble. Oh, no, the authorities see to that. Visitors may ruin themselves by the hundreds of thousands every year, but the natives are forbidden the sport; you have to show your passport when you go into a casino.

Once past the careful inspection and identification at the door you find a dream of amusement and interest inside; a musical entertainment, vaudeville, refreshments, deep restful chairs, deep carpets, soft lights.

"Oh, why can't life always be like this, Tom!" I heard one young woman say excitedly, as she and a

man came in. "I could sit here forever watching the types, and drinking cool things!"

Beyond this introductory stage of luxury and beauty are the great salons where the tables are. Just the familiar green cloth with the number painted on it, and the spinning bowl of the wheel in which the little ivory ball sings and clinks itself silent.

Groups of motionless persons packed about the tables; the heads go forward; discs click against the croupiers' rakes.

How quickly, how impersonally they draw it toward them, the precious money that means meals and shoes and freedom for the anxious-faced men and women who watch.

Little Pushed Back
A little, very little, is pushed back. The croupiers never comment; they never say, "Ah, too bad!" or "Better luck."

They know that the losers will vanish into the darkness and despair of the world's lowest slums and dreags; they know that the winners will come back and back and back until they lose.

The proprietors of a roulette wheel can't lose no matter what they do. They are gambling on the weakness of human nature, and human nature doesn't change.

All over the world schools, clinics, lecturers, teachers, mothers, clubs and associations are trying to build up morality—trying to better the great average of human goodness by only the hundredth part here and there. The gambling tables are on the other side; they are creating misery and moral breakdown, year after year after year.

"Why, but you're warned," they argue reasonably. "You know what thinking people have decided about gambling. You know it's illegal in well-governed communities. You don't have to play."

My little woman who had thought she could live in a casino was waiting in a chair by the door when I came by three hours later. She was a sick-looking girl then; white-faced and tanned. Tom was "arranging something with the cashier." I asked her if she had won.

Casino's Profit
"At first we did," she said, in that voice one comes to know in Monte Carlo. Tom came to talk to her; they conferred. "Yes, Papa will, Papa'll send it." I heard her say, quickly and nervously, "We can cable him."

Their evening's amusement had cost them \$7,200. Yet they had started in modestly enough with a stake of 100 francs, about \$5, then, apiece.

No wonder the Casino can supply refreshments, music, chairs. Couldn't any merchant in the world insure you that, if you were like to hand him a profit of \$7,000 dollars for four hours of it?

Because I used to know her mother when Olive, whose story starts this article, was a dear little dark-eyed girl, I went to see Olive in gaol the other day.

She was playing solitaire bridge; she said there wasn't a woman in the place who could play a decent game of bridge.

She spoke of Monte Carlo; said that she wished she could go there; she was confident that she could pick up any amount in no time.

There's no cure for her. But there might be a hint in her story for certain other young wives.



Wise and Otherwise

"Where will the modern young English husband find his match?" trills a woman novelist. Probably later enjoyed the unexpected holiday immensely.

"The really wise man flatters his wife," says a writer. But, says a cynic, the really wise man hasn't one.

"The best thing for sufferers from seasickness is a small piece of dry toast," states a medical. Or a large piece of dry land.

A prison official declares that convicts are always more restive in the summer, and most of the escapes occur during that season. It is, of course, the time for breaking out in spots.

A politician recently spent an afternoon at a mind-reader's. The latter enjoyed the unexpected half-holiday immensely.

A debating society holds its meeting in the open air so that its members can discuss everything under the sun.

"No girl expects to be judged solely by appearance," declares a novelist. Unless, of course, she has entered for a beauty contest.

An artificial arm for opening office doors has been invented. Commercial travellers' fear the next thing will be an automatic foot for ejection purposes.

The girl lay on the burning beach, whence all but she had fled. She would not go until she had her back burnt sunburn red.

Husband to wife: "I see there's a new moon, dear. If you've got any of my money left you might turn it over."

"Confectionery induces sleep," says a shopkeeper. Sweet repose.

We read of a Pekingese dog in America that has a banking account and signs cheques with a paw-print. When funds are low, the animal sits up in front of the bank manager and begs prettily for an overdraft.

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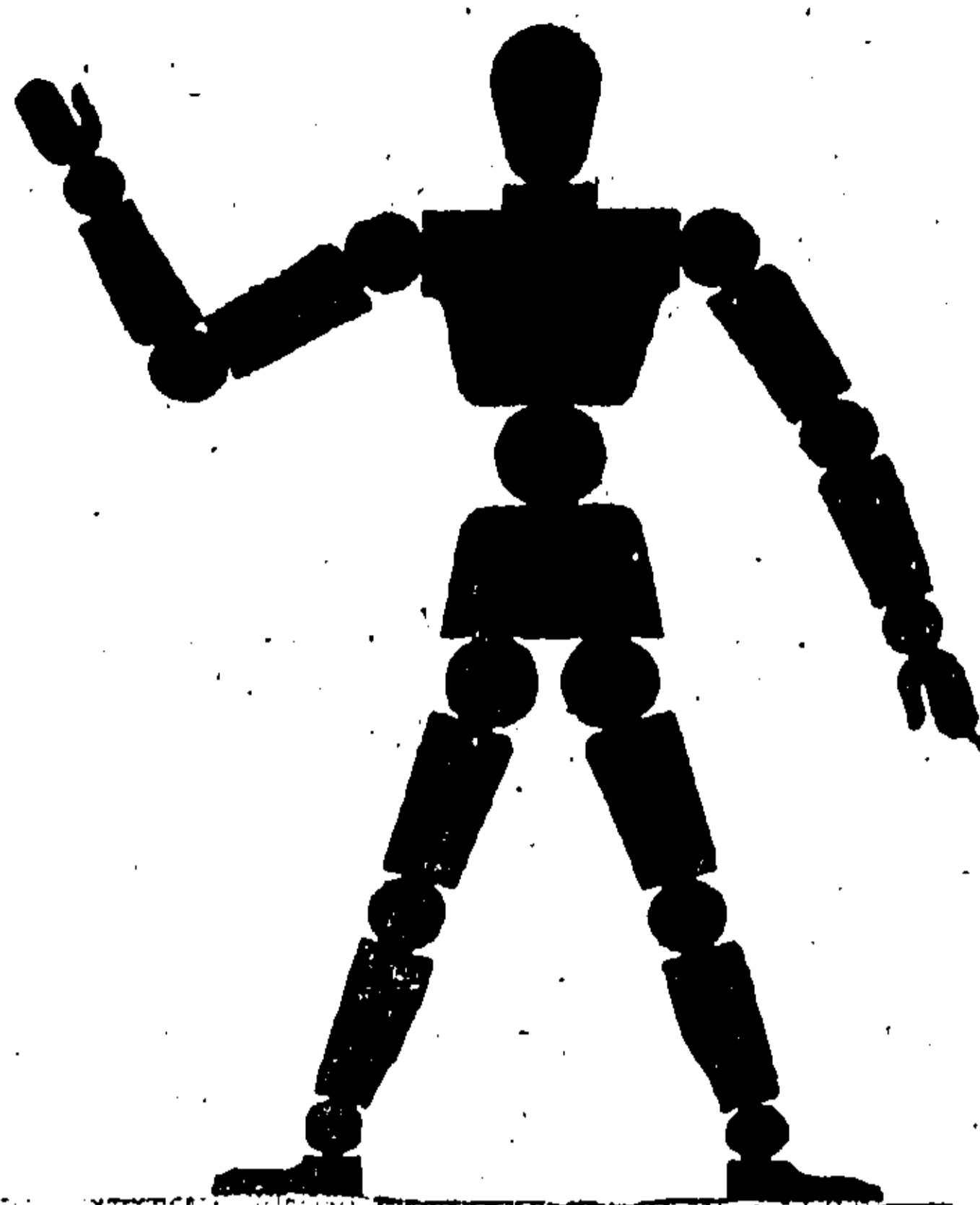
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LOCAL NEWS BREVITIES

His Excellency the Governor of Macau is giving an official ball at his residence on the evening of October 5.

Following His Honour Sir Atholl MacGregor's recovery from his recent indisposition, the Criminal Sessions will be resumed at the Supreme Court on Monday next at 10 a.m.

Prof. L. T. Rido, M.A., B.M., B. Ch. (OXON), M.R.C.S. (Eng.) L.R.C.P. (London) will speak under the auspices of the Hong Kong University Medical Society on Thursday next at 5.30 p.m., in the Union Assembly Room, Hong Kong University, on "Medical education in Hong Kong."

Passengers arriving from Hono on the Potsdam on October 6 will include Miss D. F. Stanton, who will shortly marry Mr. A. W. Robson, and Mr. and Mrs. George Duncan, returning from Home leave.

A sale of work and fancy bazaar will be held at the French Convent, Causeway Bay, to-day.

Readers are reminded of the "Million-Airs on Parade" concert in aid of the St. Vincent de Paul Society at the Craigengower Cricket Club to-day at 9.15 p.m.

The Discussion Group of the Y.M.C.A. will meet in the West Lounge to-day at 9 p.m.

There will be a Tombola at the Royal Signals' Sergeants' Mess, Kowloon, at 9 p.m. to-day.

A Tombola will be held at the China Fleet Club Theatre at 7.30 p.m. to-day.

A Whist Drive and Tombola will be held at the R.A. (Sta.) Sergeants' Mess, Gun Club Hill, at 8.30 p.m. to-day.

A Reel Club practice will be held at the Helena May Institute at 5.30 p.m. to-morrow.

There will be a dance at the Cheero Club at 8 p.m. to-morrow.

The General Committee of the Hong Kong Lawn Bowls Association will meet in the South China Morning Post board-room at 5.30 p.m. to-morrow.

A meeting of the Hong Kong Football Referees' Association will be held at the Sports Club at 8 p.m. to-morrow.

A Whist Drive will be held in the West Lounge, Y.M.C.A., to-morrow at 9 p.m.

The s.s. Nankin is expected here from Moji on the afternoon of Tuesday next.

The s.s. Soudan is expected here from Singapore at 11 a.m. on Tuesday next.

The annual meeting of the Hong Kong Badminton Association will be held in the South China Morning Post boardroom at 5.30 p.m. on Tuesday next.

The annual general meeting of the Hong Kong Ladies' Hockey Club will be held in the top-floor lounge of the Gloucester Hotel at 5.30 p.m. next Tuesday.

The annual general meeting of the Indian Recreation Club will be held at 5.30 p.m. on Tuesday next.

The Evangelistic Committee of the Sixth District of the Kwangtung Synod (Church of Christ in China) are holding their annual meeting at the Kowloon Union Church Hall on Wednesday next at 5.30 p.m.

It is announced that the Manuk Lodge of the Theosophical Society will commence their winter session of public lectures on Thursday next, October 1.

The R.E.O.C.A. will hold the first of its dances this season in the China Fleet Club Theatre, on Saturday next, October 3, commencing at 8.30 p.m.

The fannet dance which was to have been held by the Health and Strength League at the Hotel Cecil last night was cancelled. However, there will be a grand carnival dance on Saturday next, lasting until 2 p.m., for the purpose of bidding farewell to members shortly leaving the Colony.

DEVALUATION OF THE FRANC

DRASTIC STEP ALMOST CERTAIN

PROBABLE LINKING TO STERLING AT 100 TO THE POUND

London, Yesterday. Pandemonium reigned in brokers' offices yesterday afternoon, when, in frantic dealings, dollars were extensively bid for, causing the rate to firm up to 5.03 1/4. Furthermore a remarkable reversal of trend in Spot francs was evidenced. They recovered in seesaw dealings to 76.46.

Two factors in themselves contradictory were responsible for the foregoing:—

(1) The expectations of the early devaluation of the franc caused an appreciation of the dollar in terms of sterling, as selling dollars in support of the franc will be rendered unnecessary. Since the franc is still linked with the dollar through the medium of gold the franc benefitted sympathetically;

(2) Some circles expressed the opinion that the French Cabinet, which was then sitting, would decide on further drastic measures in defence of the currency.

Later: Details of an international monetary agreement reached between France, Britain and the United States were to have been published last evening. The text of the agreement was being published here at 11 p.m. British Standard Time. Meanwhile it looks as if the pound, dollar and franc will be stabilised within certain limits.

Later: It is practically certain that the franc will be fixed at 100 to the £.

Later: Parliamentary approval of the new franc level is expected to be given before noon on Tuesday. It is understood that the Government will introduce measures to compensate French nationals suffering heavy loss.

Monday's sitting of Parliament will be devoted exclusively to finance. Parliament will adjourn until October 27 as soon as the Government's programme is approved. The debate is expected to be heated, but even the Communists are voicing round gradually in favour of devaluation.

HOLLAND STANDS FIRM
The Hague: In connection with the new developments of the exchange market, the Government announces that it is maintaining its monetary policy unchanged.

The Lido open-air dinner dances which have been held twice weekly throughout the summer months are to be discontinued after Wednesday next. Commencing on Saturday next the venue of these dinner dances will be the Repulse Bay Hotel, where they will take place every Wednesday and Saturday throughout the cold season.

Work on the pantomime "Jack and the Beanstalk," to be presented at the Y.M.C.A., has now begun in earnest, and the first rehearsal has been fixed for Wednesday, October 7. The dates of production are December 22, 23, 24 and 26.

An examination for Pilots' Licences will be held at the Harbour Office at 10 a.m. on Wednesday, October 7.

The Women's Guild of the Kowloon Union Church are holding a Sale of Work on November 7.

The following unclaimed radio telegrams are lying at the Government Radio Office:—2860, from Bangkok Sub.; Teodoroshik, 139, Gloucester, from Amoy; 6362, from Tsingtao P.O.; and Flora Otfedghil, Hong Kong Hotel, from Dilly.

An application for the confiscation of 57 piculs of wood from found on the s.s. Fatahan by Revenue Officer Grimmit, unmanifested and unclaimed, was granted by Mr. S. F. Balfour at the Central Magistracy yesterday morning.

Robert Collison, an Englishman, was sent to the House of Detention by Mr. S. F. Balfour at the Central Magistracy yesterday morning, when he appeared before him on a charge of vagrancy.

Four cases of enteric fever and one of diphtheria were reported to the local Health authorities during the 24 hours ended on Friday.

A "Jumble Sale" run by the Women's Guild of St. Andrew's Church yesterday afternoon, realised the sum of \$72, which will be donated to the Hong Kong Benevolent Society. Mrs. Robertson and Mrs. Macaskill were in charge of the sale.

Emergency Meeting Of Parliament

BOURSE CLOSED UNTIL TUESDAY

Paris, Later: It is rumoured in the Chamber lobbies that the French Parliament may be summoned to meet on Monday. The Chamber normally is not due to meet until November.

Later: The Cabinet meeting last evening ended at 8 p.m. yesterday, the Minister of Interior issuing a communique later in the evening. Meanwhile it is announced that the Bourse will be closed until Tuesday and an emergency meeting of Parliament (which normally would not meet until November) will be held on Monday. It is no secret in well-informed financial quarters that France would only contemplate devaluation within the framework of a currency assignment of sterling and the dollar, thus assuring a common level of prices. Negotiations to that end have been proceeding for the last three months.

It remains to be seen to what extent the British and American Government will give France an assurance not to undertake any fresh depreciation of their currencies, following any devaluation of the franc.

SOME HITCH?

Paris, later: There has apparently been a hitch in the financial announcement, the Finance Minister telephoning Washington at 1 a.m.—Reuter.

Reactions In U.S.A.

Washington: The question of the action to be taken in the event of the devaluation of the French currency is believed to have been discussed in a conference between Mr. Henry A. Morgenthau, Secretary to the Treasury, and State Department currency experts, which opened on Thursday night and was resumed yesterday.

While Treasury officials decline to comment, Wall Street observers are confident that both the United States and France could weather without grave difficulties any short-lived squalls which might follow an embargo on the export of French gold or devaluation of the franc. The majority of the financial authorities anticipate that any such action would only be followed by slight market disturbances here.—Reuter.

All Gold Also To Be Requisitioned

STABILISATION FUND TO ASSURE NEW PARTY

Paris, Yesterday. The French Government has decided to devalue the franc and to requisition all gold. The new value of the franc has been fixed at between 49 and 43 milligrammes of gold of 900/1000 fineness.

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ANGLO-FRENCH AGREEMENT

Common Interest In Prosperity

DESIRE FOR RESTORATION OF ORDER

London, Yesterday. The Anglo-French monetary agreement, issued by the Treasury, states that the British Government, after consultation between the British and French Governments, join with them in affirming a common desire to foster those conditions which safeguard the peace and will best contribute to the restoration of order in international economic relations, and to pursue a policy tending to promote the prosperity of the world.

TWO-FOLD POLICY

The British Government must, in its policy towards international monetary relations, take into full account the requirements of the internal prosperity of the countries of the Empire, as corresponding considerations will be taken into account by the Governments of France and the United States.

The Government re-affirms its purpose to continue the policy which it has pursued in the course of recent years, the one constant object of which is to maintain the greatest possible equilibrium in the system of international exchanges and to avoid to the utmost extent the creation of any disturbance of that system by British monetary action.

The British Government shares with the French and United States Governments the conviction that the continuation of this twofold policy will serve the general purpose which all the Governments should pursue.

FRANCE TAKES THE STEP
The French Government has informed the British Government that, judging that the desired stability of the principal currencies cannot be ensured on a gold basis except after the re-establishment of lasting equilibrium between the various economic systems, they have decided, with this object, to propose to their Parliament the readjustment of their currency.

DECISION WELCOMED

The British and United States Governments welcomed this decision, in the hope that it would establish more solid foundations for the stability of international economic relations. The British, United States and French Governments declare their intention to continue to use the appropriate available resources so as to avoid as far as possible any disturbance of the basis of the international exchanges resulting from the proposed readjustment. They will arrange for such consultations for this purpose as may prove necessary with the other two Governments and authorised agencies.

EFFECTS ON TRADE

The British Government is moreover convinced, together with the French and United States Governments, that the success of the above policy is linked with the development of international trade. In particular they attach the greatest importance to action being taken without delay to relax progressively the present system of quotas and exchange controls, with a view to their abolition.

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A Stabilisation Fund of 10,000,000,000 francs will be established to assure the new party.

Later: In order to protect those who have contracted mortgage loans there will be arbitrary conversion of all provincial and municipal loans to a 5 per cent. basis.

The pound sterling will be worth between 95 and 103 francs in consequence of the devaluation.

Two Decrees Issued

An official decree closes the French Stock Exchange until further notice. Another provides a moratorium at the request of a debtor on all commercial payments in gold or foreign currencies falling due after September 26.

It is learned that 16 bills are being submitted to Parliament to cover the new financial arrangements.—Reuter.

Osaka reported four cases of smallpox during the week ended September 19.

JAPANESE DECIDE TO CONFER DIRECTLY WITH GEN. CHIANG

STATEMENT AT GENEVA

Non-Interference
Denounced

SPANISH MINISTER'S OUTBURST

"SUNDAY HERALD" SPECIAL
Geneva, Yesterday.

The non-interference proposal by the leading Powers concerning the Spanish civil war is a legal monstrosity," declared the Madrid Foreign Minister, Señor del Vayo, in his speech before the Plenary Session of the League Assembly yesterday afternoon. The Minister protested vehemently that the non-intervention was interpreted in such a way that the legitimate Government in Madrid was placed on the same footing as the rebels. He pointed out that "non-intervention," as carried out at present, was in effect a blockade of Madrid. Señor del Vayo also stated that the "non-interference" is proving unsuccessful as far as the rebels are concerned, since they now possess "immense quantities of war material," which they did not have when the uprising began.

Evidently referring to Portugal's attitude towards the belligerent parties in Spain, the Minister said: "No country, no matter how different its form of Government may be from that prevailing in Madrid, has reason to fear interference in its internal affairs from the Spain which I represent. This particularly refers to the direct neighbours of Spain."—Trans-Ocean Service.

GOVERNMENT APPOINTMENTS

The following Government appointments, etc., are notified in the Government Gazette:—

Misses Johann Hepburn McLellan and Adelaide Castleman Hill to be Nursing Sisters, with effect from September 16.

MOLA'S ULTIMATUM EXPIRES

BOMBARDMENT OF BILBAO BY INSURGENTS EXPECTED

Burgos, Yesterday.—In the north-west sector General Mola's ultimatum to Bilbao to surrender unconditionally expired yesterday, and so far no notice has been taken by the Government forces of the ultimatum. It is expected that an insurgent bombardment of the town will begin immediately.

Gibraltar: A British naval trawler anchored off Europa Point Lighthouse fired a warning shot when the Spanish Government destroyer Almirante Ferrandiz attempted to escape insurgent gunfire from a battery at Carnero Point by sheltering within the three-mile limit off Gibraltar. The warning was immediately obeyed and the destroyer steamed off in the direction of Málaga.—Reuter's Bulletin Service.

Burgos: The Southern Army of the Nationalists continued its advance yesterday and captured the town of Azuaga, an important junction, about half-way between Badajoz and Cordoba. The Red troops offered desperate resistance, which was, however, broken by the concentrated fire of the Nationalists. The Red losses are declared to have been extremely heavy. The Nationalists have also captured Monte Benajuan near Ronda on the railway-line Ronda-Algeciras. On the Biscay Coast the Nationalists likewise continue the advance.

DEATH SENTENCES

Paris: Twenty infantry officers, including one Lieutenant-General, one Major and five Captains, have been sentenced to death by the People's Tribunal in Valencia, according to a report reaching here from Spain.

40-HOUR WEEK IN FRANCE?

Paris, Yesterday: President L.-brun has signed a decree making the 40-hour week compulsory in the mines, with an extension to embrace the metal trades, the textile industry and the building trades. These extensions will be discussed at the next Ministerial Council.—Trans-Ocean Service.

GOVERNMENT WARSHIPS FOR NORTH AFRICA?

Attempts To Break Insurgent Blockade Of Two Ports

"SUNDAY HERALD" SPECIAL

Paris, Yesterday.—The warships of the Madrid Government disappeared mysteriously from the Mediterranean two days ago, according to a message from Burgos, which adds that the warships are on their way to North Africa, where they intend to break the insurgent blockade of the ports of Bilbao and Santander.—Trans-Ocean Service.

Another message stated that the Madrid police took into custody General San Pelayo, Lieutenant-Colonel Aladrado and Captain Silvestre, because these three officers helped to arrest the Socialist Deputies in 1934.—Trans-Ocean Service.

The Chinese Young Men's Christian Association are holding their half-yearly moonlight launch picnic next Tuesday. The launch, "Man Chi," will leave Blake Pier at 6 p.m.



Amelia Earhart, the noted aviatrice, is here shown in New York, where she landed her low-winged monoplane which she flew in the Bendix trophy race across the continent.

MOORING PROHIBITION

A Government Gazette notification states that vessels, other than those employed in the carriage of pigwash, are prohibited, between the hours of 5 a.m. and 9 a.m., from mooring to the seawall in Hong Kong between the western extremity of the dual-bat station opposite Wilmer Street and the eastern boundary of the stone steps situated opposite Eastern Street.

DISSATISFIED WITH PRESENT TALKS

TENSION AT SHANGHAI EASIER

MARINES WITHDRAWN TO BARRACKS

(From A Special Correspondent)

Canton, Yesterday. A Japanese Embassy spokesman denies that Mr. S. Kawagoe, the Japanese Ambassador to China, threatens to leave Nanking. It is learned that he has been instructed to continue the preliminary discussions with Mr. Chang Chun, the Chinese Foreign Minister, but the date of their fourth meeting has not yet been fixed. Mr. Hsu Shik-ying, the Chinese Ambassador to Japan, was summoned to meet Mr. Arima, the Japanese Foreign Minister, yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock. The meeting, which took place in the Japanese Foreign Office, lasted about an hour. Mr. Hsu was asked to inform the Generalissimo that the Japanese Government intends to undertake direct negotiations with him about the Cheng-tu, Pakhoi, Hankow and Shanghai incidents, as well as on all the Sino-Japanese readjustment problems. Mr. Hsu promised to cable the Generalissimo to this effect. It is stated that the Japanese Government is dissatisfied with the results of the last three preliminary Chang-Kawagoe meetings.

HUGE FIRE IN CANTON

100 Houses Completely Gutted

20 PEOPLE KILLED

(From A Special Correspondent)
Canton, Yesterday.

At 8 p.m. yesterday, a big fire broke out in the Luen On bamboo-ware shop in front of the Canton-Kowloon Railway Station at Canton. The fire lasted until midnight, and about 100 houses and sheds were completely gutted. It is learned that there were about 20 casualties, and hundreds of persons have been rendered homeless.

Wednesday next is the Chinese Moon Festival (the 15th day of the 8th Moon) and the dif-

ferent organisations in Canton are preparing for the celebration of the Generalissimo's unification of China, and the prohibition of gambling and opium-smoking. A meeting will be held at 9 a.m. and in the afternoon there will be a parade of troops which will march round the city and a dinner will be given in honour of the Generalissimo in the evening.

SITUATION IN SHANGHAI

British Enquiries At Tokyo

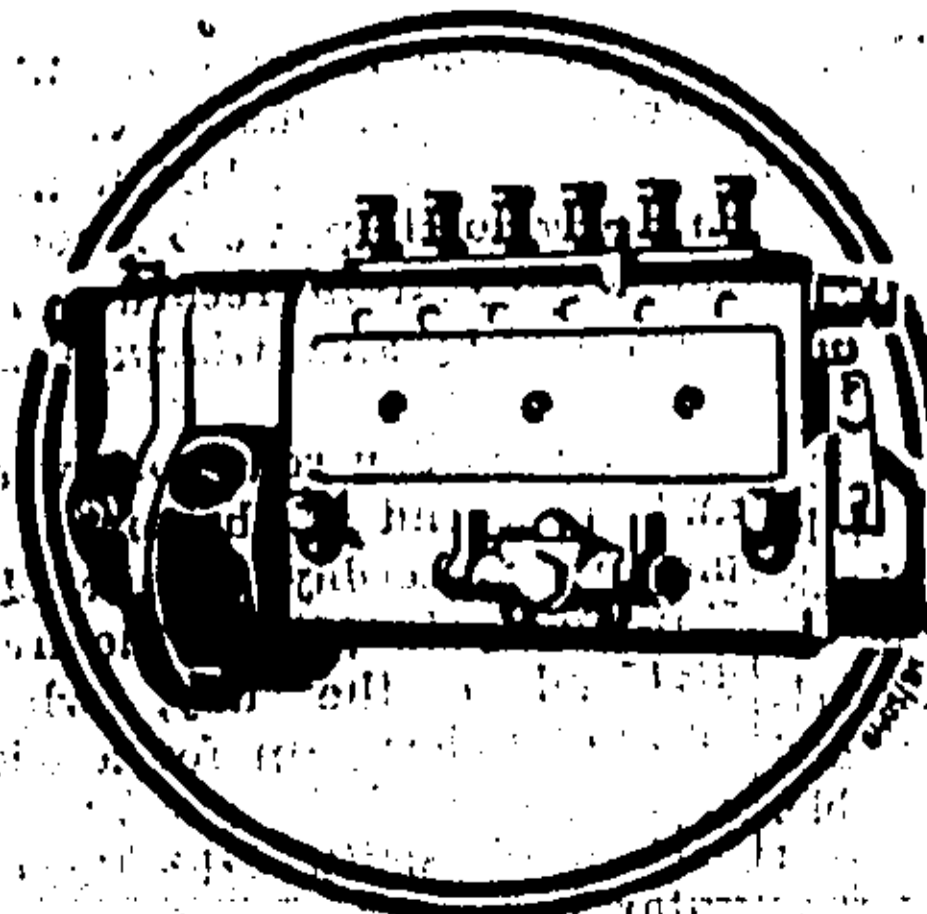
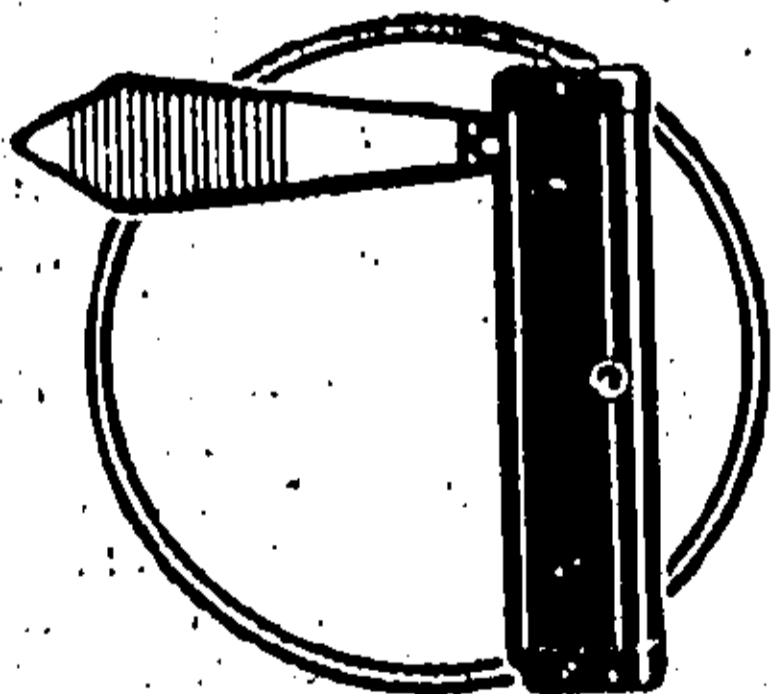
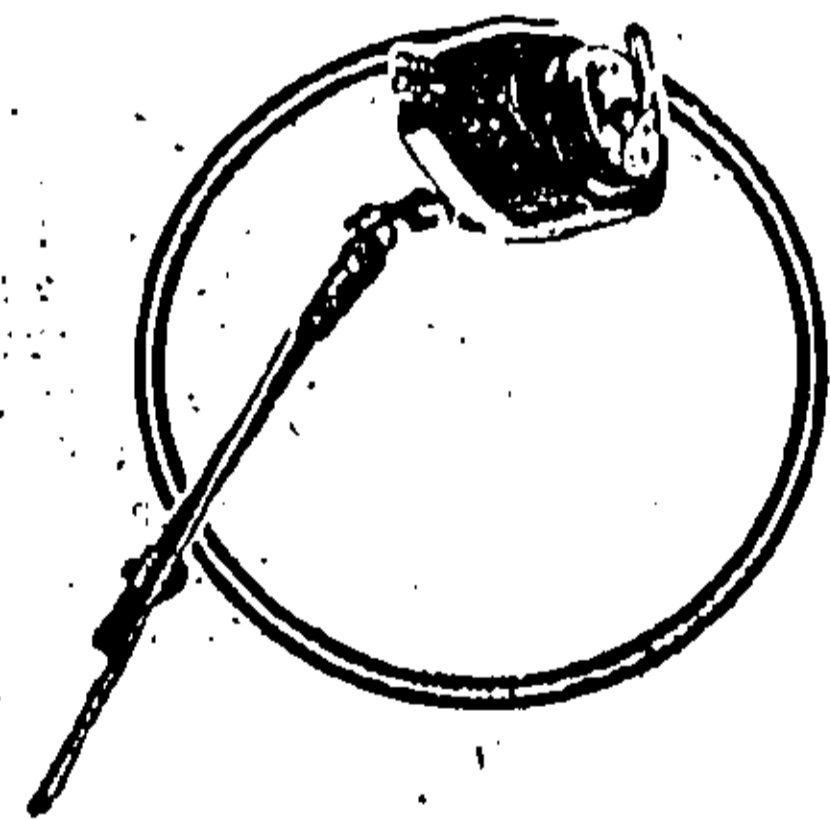
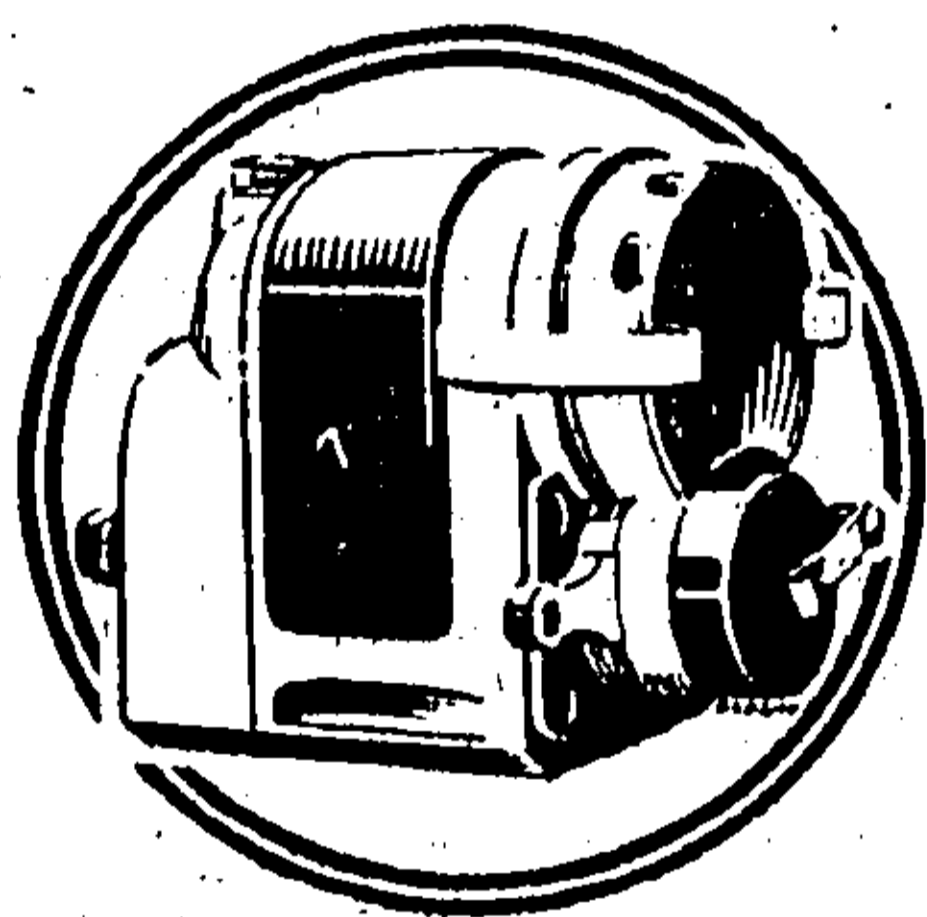
JAPAN'S ASSURANCES

London, Yesterday. It is understood that when the British Ambassador in Tokyo called on the Japanese Minister for Foreign Affairs on Thursday he enquired regarding the situation arising out of the episode at Shanghai, in which a Japanese bluejacket was murdered. In the course of a general talk Sir Robert Clive was assured that, seriously as the Japanese Government regarded the Shanghai incident, which was one of a series, the Japanese Government had no intention of taking hasty action.

While it is clear that the incident has considerably increased the anxieties of what is recognised in British circles to be an already delicate situation, reports state that discussions are continuing between the Japanese Ambassador in Nanking and the Chinese Government. These discussions were initiated for the purpose of settlement of the outstanding questions between the two Governments, including anti-Japanese feeling in China manifested in a succession of incidents in recent months, and it is hoped that the successful issue to these talks will not be prejudiced by the last of the unfortunate series of events.—British Wireless Service.

JAPANESE FINED

Nogashisa Murano, aged 31, a Japanese, was fined \$5 by Mr. S. F. Balfour at the Central Magistracy yesterday morning when charged with entering the Colony without a passport on Friday. Detective Sergeant Russell said that the defendant arrived in the Colony by the Hakusan Maru without a passport. He had previously been a resident of Hong Kong and had gone to Japan.



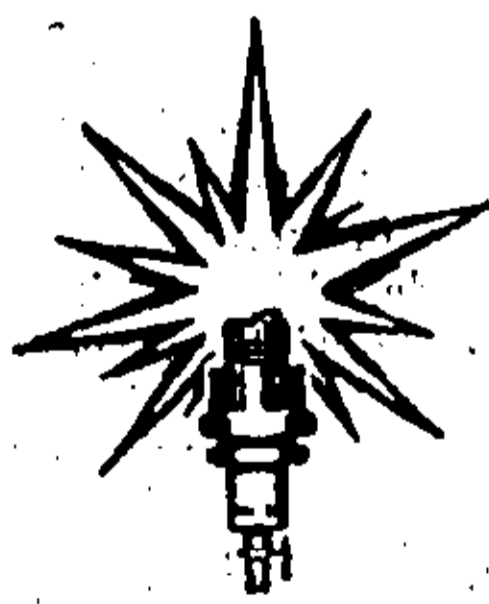
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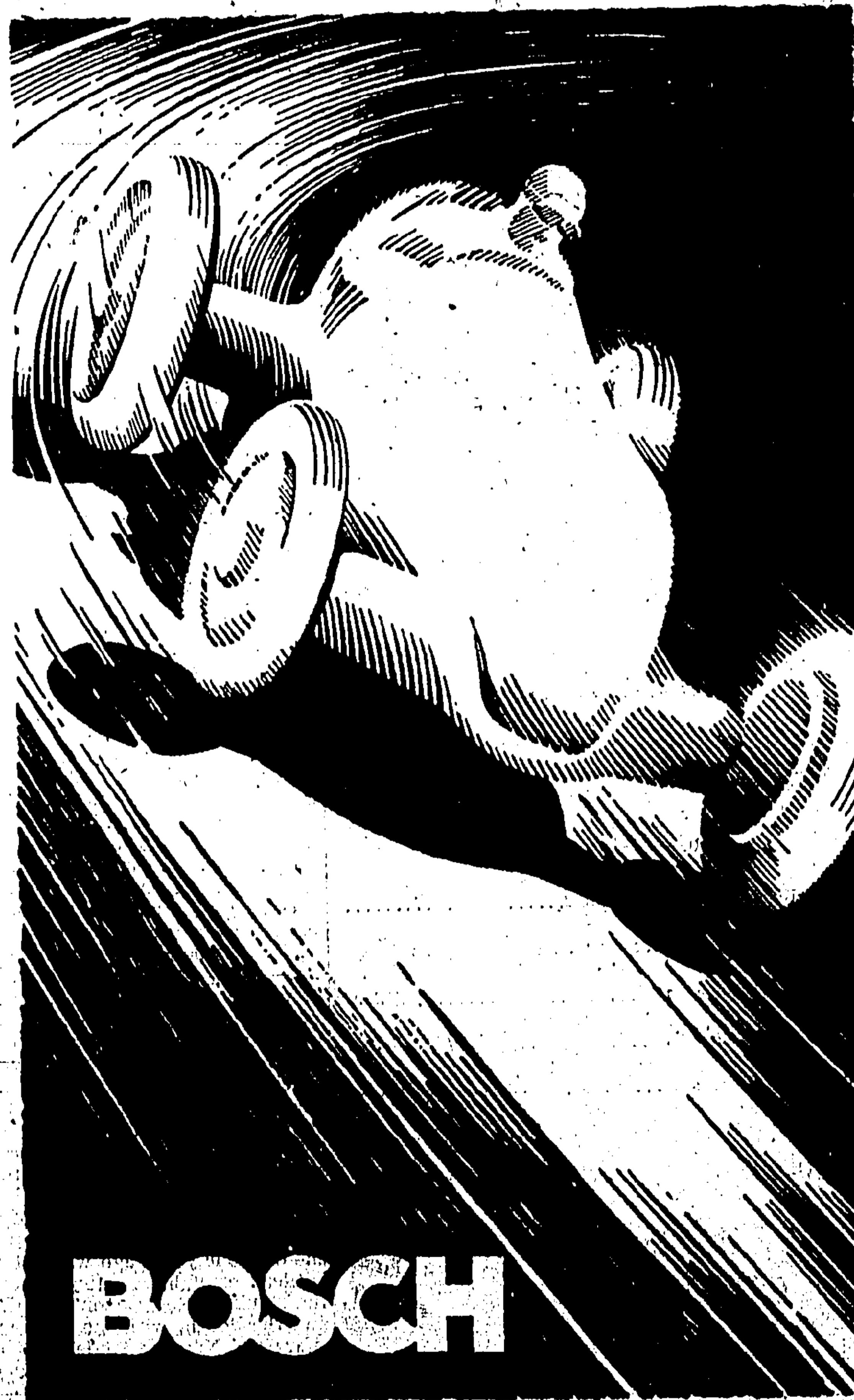
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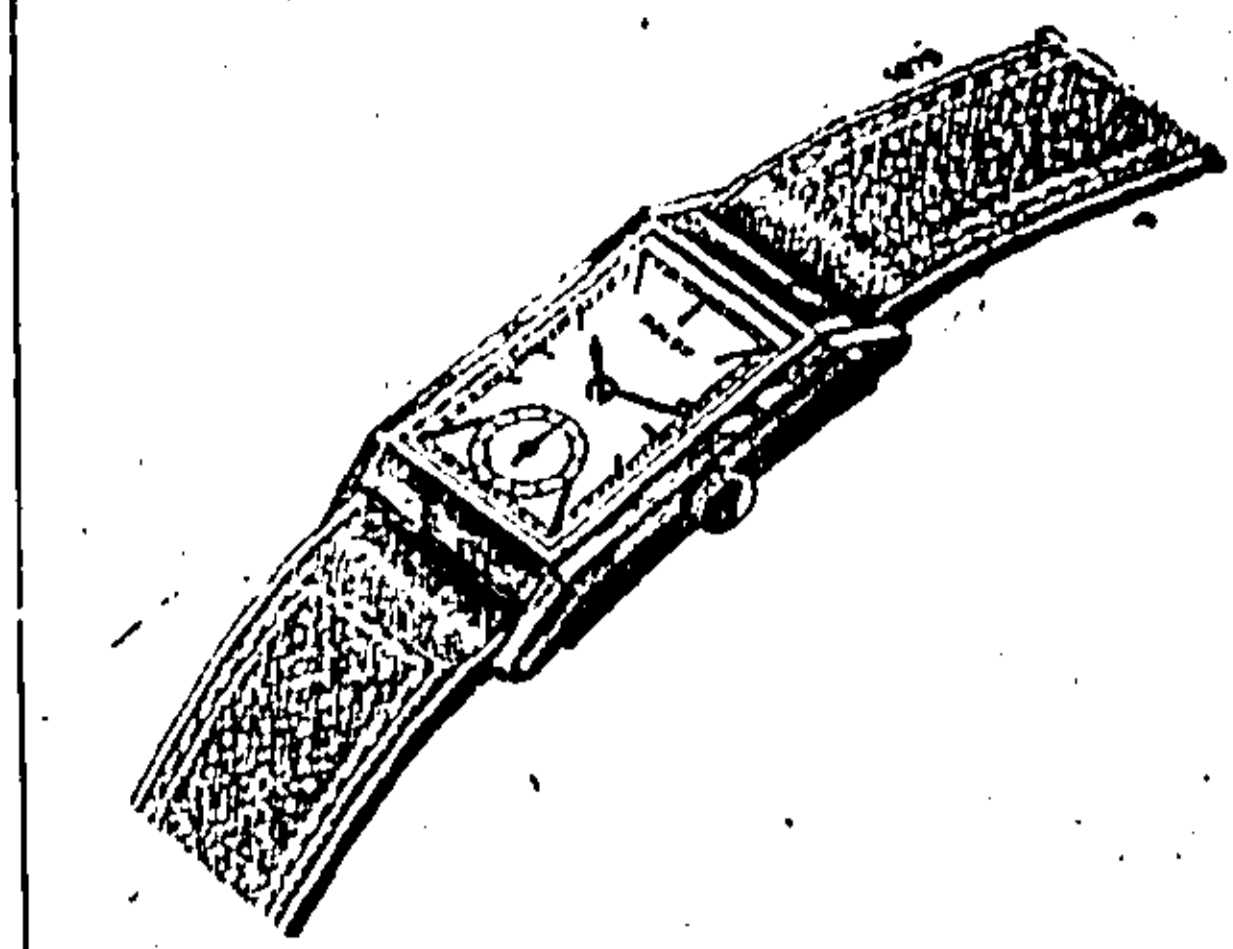
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Internationalism

THE Shanghai troubles are following precedent very closely, and the question is what procedure can be invented to stop the downhill rush to the tragedy of 1927? The unrest simply cannot be quelled by the present methods. It is clear enough that the world cannot yet rise to any broad conception of international action. The man who has force behind him ready for immediate use is the man who gets himself respected, and who has a chance of settling trouble without the use of the force available. No long-sighted calculations of ultimate advantage, no expectations of having to meet a still larger force in the future, or some other peacemaker, are of any avail to stop men whose blood is up from seizing the moment of temporary opportunity for some violence which may be made an excuse for as big schemes as may suit their convenience.

The Shanghai disorders are only our Far Eastern version of facts that are the question of the hour for the civilised world. The clash between nationalism and internationalism is an even more fundamental struggle than the clash between private and centralised control of property, on which we commented recently as the occasion of the fight in Spain, for it is quite possible for a capitalist and a communist country to live side by side so long as they do not cross each other's frontiers. But it is not possible for two countries to live side by side if one of them denies the right to the other of exercising full sovereign rights of self-government.

Shanghai is almost unique—with the possible exception of Tangier—in being not merely a cosmopolitan town in its trade and its population, but cosmopolitan in its system of control. The neutralisation of Tangier arose from the hopeless suspicion of all the Powers that each of the others would use control to monopolise the internal trade of Morocco and shut the others out. It was accordingly placed under a Board consisting of the various Consuls, subject to the condition that any change, however necessary as a reform, must receive unanimous consent. The result was a system of log-rolling, under which anyone who makes a proposal may have the most irrelevant demands made upon him either to consent to the demands or to have his reform blocked. Shanghai is not as bad as that; the conditions forbid it. The wonderful position as the gateway to the Yangtze valley, the rich trade offering, and the still richer trade which is dreamed of but always seems to elude the grasp, make it everyone's business to compromise as far as possible and get on with the work. The compromises have worked so far as to make an enormous expansion possible, but it would be impossible to estimate what has been lost by the lack of central control and a community spirit. The original concession made to Great Britain gave the big opportunity. It was turned into an International Concession—without even getting the French to do the like—partly, as our friends might say, from an idealistic policy of partnership with the other nations interested, and partly, as our critics might say, from "the craven fear of being great." Of all these retrocessions it may be said, in whatever part of the world they have been made, that they have done nothing to check the accusation of grasping earth-hunger, that they have been made at the expense of the people living on the spot, and that they have contained the seeds of future trouble.

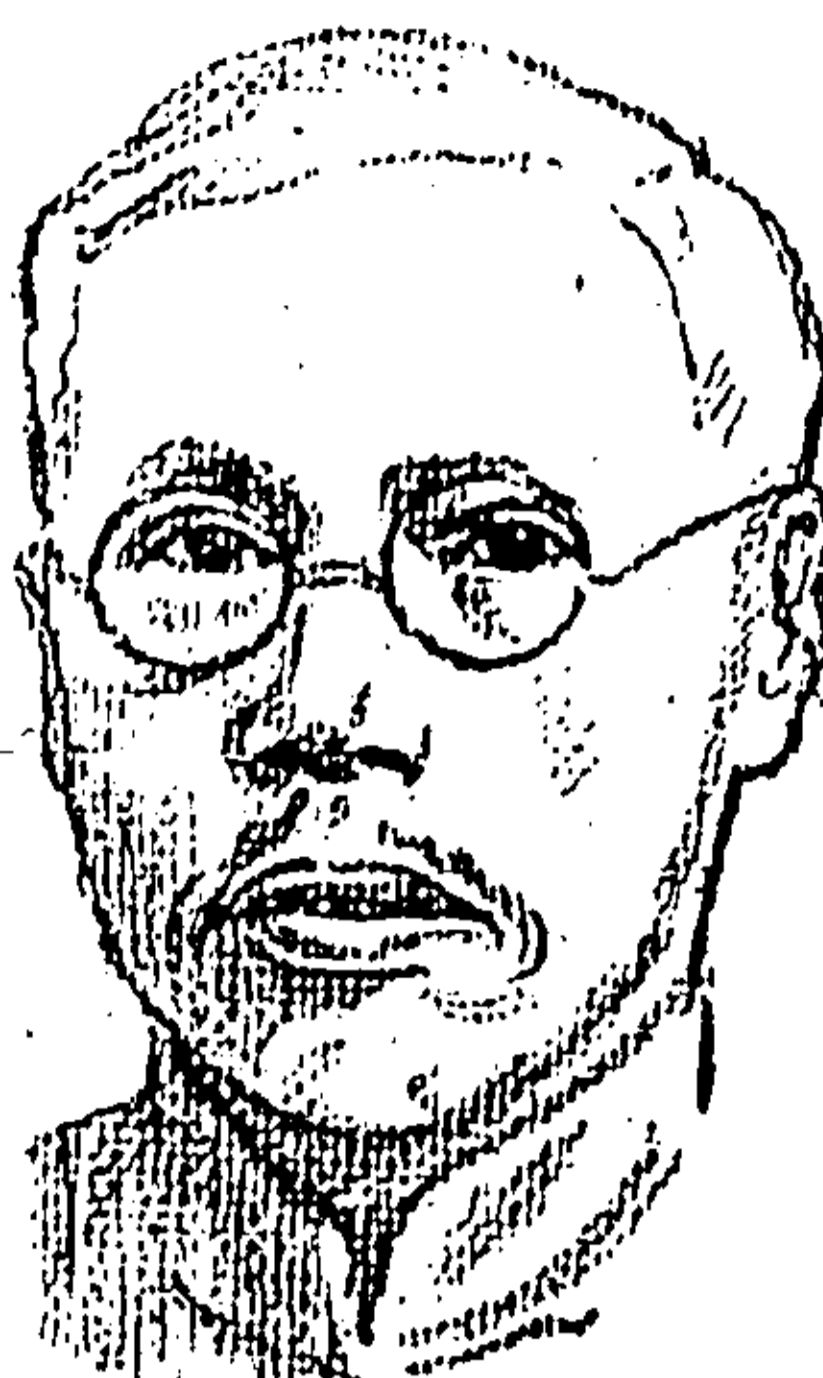
If only the League had proved capacity for practical statesmanship, here is a field where its international characteristics might have found new scope, but anyone proposing that solution to-day would be suspected of practical joking. Japan could hardly be expected to show more deference to Geneva now than she did four years ago when she was still a member. The policy is clear enough. Aiming at control of the North, and finding the Nanking Government growing stronger in the Yangtze basin and the South, with the good wishes of the foreign Powers who share the Yangtze trade, it is calculated that by taking advantage of the constitutional vagueness she may by a show of force terrify them all into acquiescence. Signor Mussolini is supposed to have proved that in a world that wants peace anyone who appears to be willing to fight can get all he wants.

BIRTH

SHANNON.—On 25th September, at the War Memorial Nursing Home, to Ellen, wife of Mr. O. J. Shannon, a son.

Hong Kong Personalities

Continuing the exclusive series of sketches of leading Colony residents by Mr. A. S. Kony, the talented Hungarian artist.



DR. KWAN KING-LEUNG

OUR personality this week is Dr. Kwan King-leung, or as he is better known to his friends, Sun Yin. I almost used the adjective "veteran," but in spite of his 45 years' service in the cause of suffering humanity you could not call Dr. Kwan a veteran—not he, who, although nearing his 70th birthday, is still very active in his profession.

Dr. Kwan is a real son of Hong Kong. He was born in Hong Kong in 1867 and has lived his whole life in the Colony, with the exception of three years. After receiving his preliminary education at the Diocesan School, he entered the Hong Kong Medical College, a forerunner of the present University. Among the young men who attended the Medical College at that time was Dr. Sun Yat-sen—a roommate of Dr. Kwan's. It is an exceptional treat to listen to Dr. Kwan's memories of that period of his life and his impressions of Dr. Sun Yat-sen as a young student. According to Dr. Kwan, in the earlier years there was as yet no intimation of the man who was later to bring to fruition the greatest change in the whole social structure of China. Only in his last years at the College did he show himself as the "reformer" which Dr. Kwan calls him. Even then the older generation could not grasp his ideas.

Later Career

Dr. Kwan, having completed his medical studies, was appointed to the Nethersole Hospital as House Surgeon and he held that post for three years. After leaving the Nethersole Hospital he went to Nanking and was surgeon at the Port of Ken Yin, where most of the foreigners who were in the service of the Chinese Government lived. Three years was enough to make Dr. Kwan homesick for the Colony and he returned to Hong Kong to start his private practice. He has never left the Colony since, except for occasional visits to Macau, where Dr. Sun Yat-sen carried on his medical practice. Of that time Dr. Kwan tells how Dr. Sun Yat-sen was absorbed in the study of the French Revolution. Otherwise, he declares, his own life has been very uneventful. He has worked and cared only for his work, never belonged to any society or club except the one he founded himself in 1910—against the abolition of the queue.

"HERALD" CALENDAR

September 25, 1898.—Sir Henry A. Blake, Governor, arrived in Hong Kong.

September 28, 1910.—H. A. L. Lydia wrecked near Hainan.

September 29, 1906.—Steamer Charterhouse foundered in typhoon off Hainan Head.

TO-DAY'S QUOTATION

Generally speaking, the great achieve their greatness by industry rather than by mere brilliance. —BRYAN BAXTER.

THE PASSING HOUR

BY A.N.M.

THE Jewish community in our midst has been celebrating their great day of religion, the "Day of Atonement." That was from sunset on Friday to the appearance of the first star, or the setting of the sun on Saturday. To-day, after a compensating feast, they are no doubt enjoying at their leisure the joys of duty performed and appetite satisfied. It would take some calculation for the gentle to say why the day fell on this particular date, for it is the 10th day of the 7th month, counting the year as beginning in the month of Tishri. That the celebration is ancient goes without saying—the problem before the modern investigator is to guess how far back the idea of sacrifice for sin took hold of the human imagination and became a matter of conscience. The answer is simply that we never find any traces of human tradition in which it was absent. The next enquiry is always into particular methods of liturgy and details of practice, and that would lead us into deep researches of which it may be said shortly that the accumulation of facts made in the last 20 years has made almost all the old learning obsolete.

One part of the tradition of the Day, however, has lived on in current and proverbial language—it was in old times the day on which the scapegoat was chosen and driven forth into the desert to perish of starvation, carrying with it the sins of the past year. The scapegoat was called Azazel, and we do not nowadays wait very long looking for an unlucky goat. Any junior officer, even the office boy, will serve the purpose. It is a custom not likely to fall into disuse.

THE TOURISTS' PARADISE

OUR sub-editors at the start of the recent furious sieges in Spain were content to tell us that "Alcazar" was being bombarded—just as if it were some ordinary town of squalid streets and factories, or market place for wine. They have recently so far relented as to insert the definite article, but the grand old fort is hardly recognisable except in its own language, "El Alcazar." It is quite true that a small town has grown up nearby, but it would cause no trouble to capture, and the "insurgents" would not spare either that amount of trouble or any time at all. The fact is that in blowing to bits Toledo and its protecting fortress, which is outside the town, these vandals have destroyed some of the most beautiful and romantic relics of the Europe, which it is

THE CITADEL

IF the cathedral is the centre of religious tradition, El Alcazar, the citadel, is no less the centre of the military traditions of Spain. After the Romans had been driven from their fort and the Moorish King Wamba was ejected by Ferdinand and Isabella, these founders of the modern Aragon made it their first duty to enlarge the fort, and Charles V. and Philip II. followed their example. In 1710 it was burned in the war of the Spanish Succession, but it was restored in 1776. Again the French burned it in 1810, and the ruins remained as merely a spectacle for tourists till 1882. In that year it was rebuilt, turned into a military academy, the Sandhurst of West Point of Spain. Parts of all the old buildings survive, but dynamite is more powerful than anything used by the old destroyers. The tragedy, however, is that the stubborn resistance recorded in the present siege has been put up by the picked youth of Spain, there to be trained as soldiers. Their loss will leave Spain without her natural leaders in the years when they would have grown up and been ready to carry on the noble traditions of their families.

Overheard

Gas And Hay

"The world has exchanged the sweet fragrance of hay for the stench of gasoline."—Harold Bell Wright.

The Road

"High wages and best materials are the only roads to low prices."—Henry Ford.

Old-Fashioned Variety

"Nothing short of common sense can save the country."—Gov. Alf M. Landon, Kansas.

Literature's Future

"The novel and the poem may become extinct in 200 years, 100 years, or in much less time. The average novel reader reads for entertainment, and with a television box in his home he will be able to get his entertainment cheaper."—Booth Tarkington.

On What To See

"It depends so much upon the nationality of the foreigner. If he were a German or Italian, I should show him a communist orator in Hyde Park; if he were an American, Westminster Abbey; and whatever royalty was available. But, whoever he were, he would profit by seeing a London policeman in action and a country village (old style) in early July."—A. A. Milne.

Five Years Ago

(Extracts from the Sunday Herald of September 27, 1931.)

The Hong Kong Chinese beat the Malayan Chinese in the Inter-port soccer game by 4 goals to 1. Mr. H. K. Lee refereed the game and Chui Kwok-lun, Ip Pak-wa and Lee Wal-long (2) scored for the local Chinese, while Eng Guan scored for the visitors.

Miss Ena Allen won the 100 Yards free-style ladies' championship at the V.R.C. last night and in doing so clipped 3/5 seconds off the seven year-old record of 79 1/5 secs. held by Miss Gladys Ramsey.

Mr. S. N. Pan rode four winners and a second at the extra race meeting yesterday, while Mr. Ip Kuei-ying paid \$45.90, the highest dividend of the "day," when he brought Celerity in for a win.

F. S. W. Smith, the K.C.C. regular second division player, scored the first century of the season in an intra-club match yesterday.

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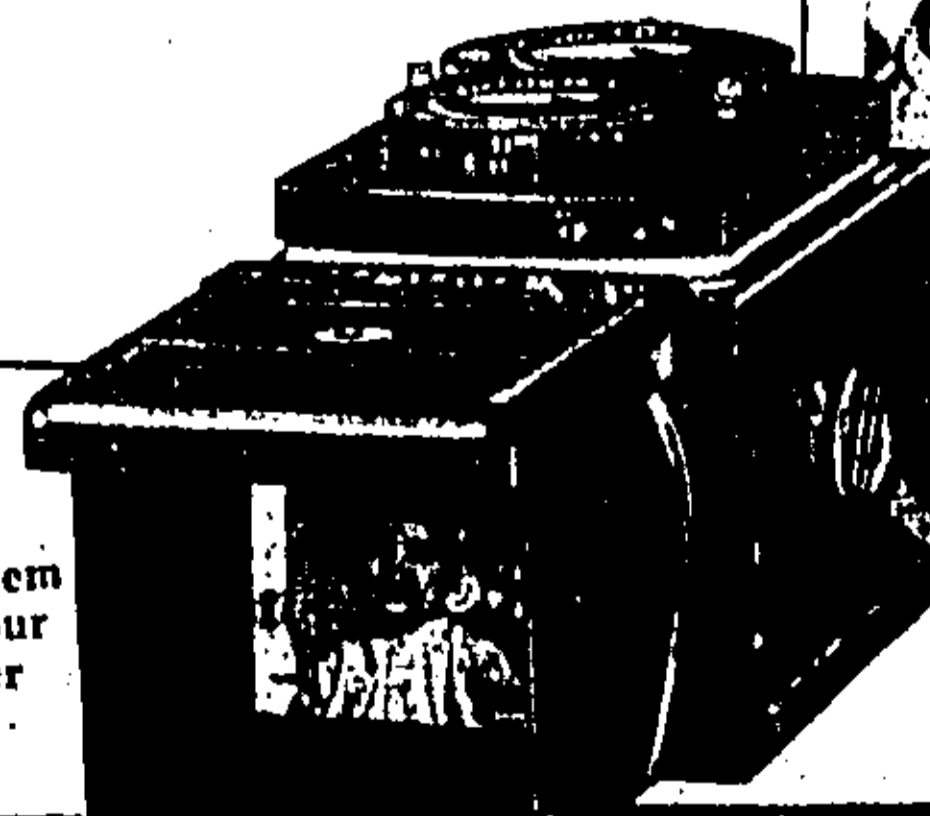
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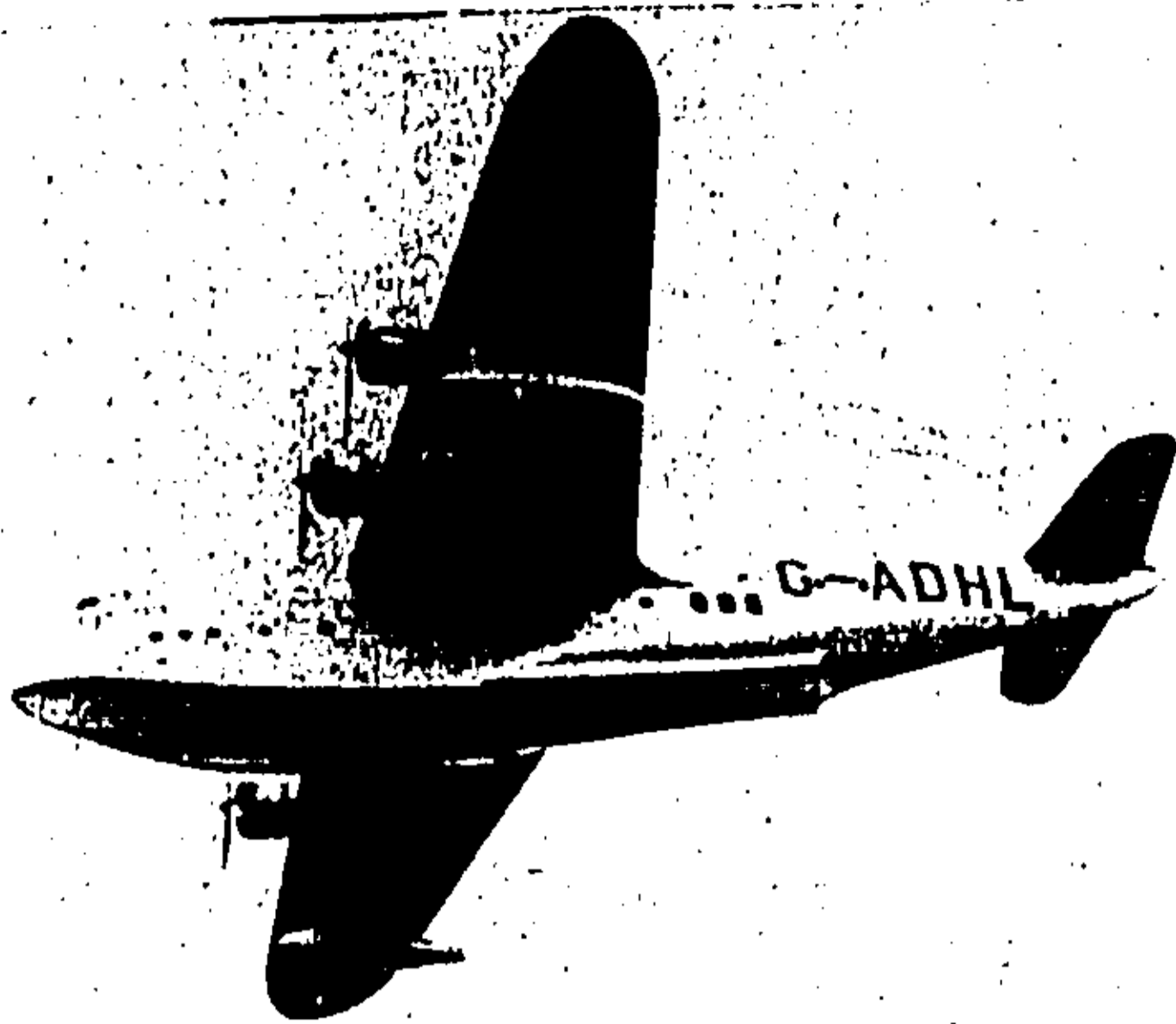
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(2) Never attempt changing a fuse or even a bulb without switching off.

(3) Do not add extra lamps or appliances to your wiring system without first consulting the supply company.

(4) Be sure that well-insulated materials and apparatus of good quality are used, and that all metal appliances are earthed by means of 3 pin-plugs and sockets, with good connection to a good earth.

(5) If your service connection from the road main is attached to a bracket on the roof or wall

it is always safe to inform the supply company to cut off the current before carrying out any work on the roof.

(6) The care and repair of flexible cord attached to the electrical apparatus need special attention. With constant use the cord is likely to fray and it is quite possible that where the flexible cord enters the plug deterioration may occur. Before attempting repairs disconnect the plug from the supply.

Accidents

Electricity is safe if ordinary care is taken, but accidents happen when you least expect them.

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Mainly about WOMEN

The Humour Of Husbands

ONE of the most deeply cherished masculine illusions is that most of the minor trials and troubles of life can be chased away with a quip.

"The little woman gets fanciful at times, but I just laugh her out of it," booms the dear old dunder-headed husband. And then he trots happily off to his club to play with the other big boys whose chief delight in life is knocking an inoffensive little ball about.

The mystery is why women continue to endure this form of male obtuseness. One wife says that her husband is so obviously pleased with his little jokes, and would be genuinely hurt if they did not call forth a bright smile, that she simply has not the heart to point out that a straightforward slap in the face stings considerably less than misapplied humour.

Another wife explains it in this way: "Jim, like nearly all men, uses what he calls a 'bit of fun' as a defence against anything which makes him feel uncomfortable, anything which forces him to think, anything which tries to upset his preconceived notions of what is 'done.' So I either have to let him shelve the subject with a joke or I must embark on a long and bitter argument which is certain to call forth the complaint that I am nagging. Frankly, it's easier to let things slide."

Origin Of The Trouble

A THIRD wife almost takes refuge in tears. Indignantly she bursts out, "If I feel really deeply about a thing, Teddy is certain to laugh uproariously about it, make the crudest witticisms about it, and tell me I am a silly little fool to upset myself over such trifling matters. Why can't men understand that if a thing wrings one's heart it cannot be trifling, no matter what it may be."

I suppose the origin of the trouble dates back to the time when women were regarded as helpless little ninnies who were not considered competent to form an opinion on anything more complicated than the probability of two and two making four. A doctor once told me that

it takes about thirty years for a medical discovery to trickle through to the comprehension of the general public. Yet that is aided by the great desire everyone has to find out how to get well and keep well. When it is merely a matter of subtle difference of outlook, perhaps fifty or even a hundred years would more correctly represent the time necessary to drill through the thick masculine skull.

Buying A Car

NATURALLY men and women can never see things from exactly the same standpoint. It would take half the spice out of life if they did. But even if a woman is utterly and completely mystified by some male idiosyncrasy she does not sit back, shriek with laughter at it, and tell him quite happily that senile decay must have laid a premature hold upon him.

For example, a man will spend his last pounds buying a perfectly good motor cycle or car. Now the one use for which a motor vehicle was designed is to carry people about the countryside. Instead of permitting it to perform its natural function, the proud owner will hie him to the garage, disintegrate the machine into its component parts, and spend endless happy hours juggling with them. His wife, sighing for the cool breath of the open road on a sunny day, will shrug her shoulders resignedly and start knitting herself a jumper.

"He's enjoying himself, so what matter?" is her attitude.

But suppose his wife is worrying because Peter, aged four, is showing all the signs of turning into a real little bully. He delights to pinch and tease smaller children, and lies like a Trojan when taxed with his sins. What he needs is a little talking to from father—for whom he has a profound respect. But what help does poor mother get if she broaches the subject?

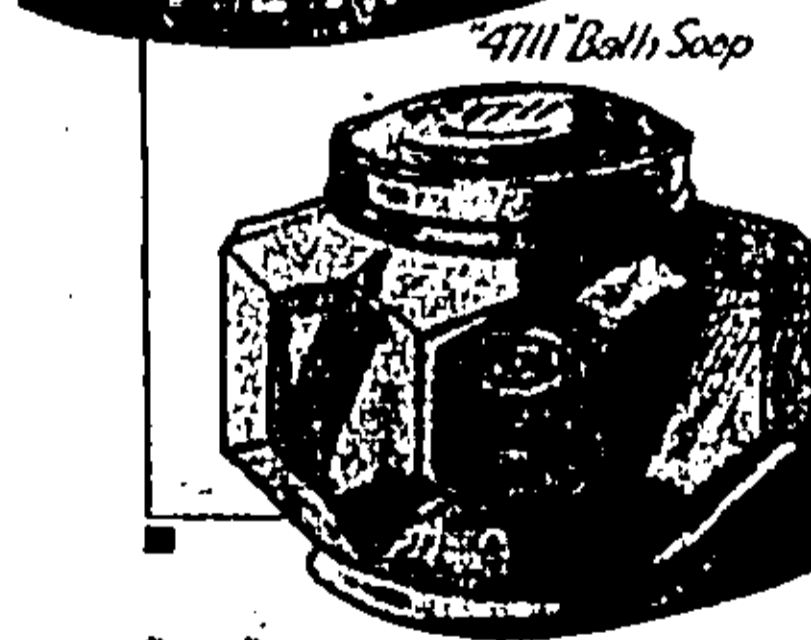
"Ha! Ha! Ha! Never heard such nonsense in my life. The young rascal, he's a real boy, that's all. What the dickens are you worrying over?"

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A scene on the Police R.C. green last Saturday, when the guardians of the law beat the Civil Service by four shots. ("Herald" photo).



(Above) The Hon. Mr. T. H. King, Inspector-General of Police, right, gave away Miss Norah Haggitt in marriage to Mr. W. P. Thompson, A.S.P., last Saturday afternoon at the Peak Church. At the right can be seen three of the many who attended the wedding. ("Herald" photos).



Competitors at the heats of sports, which were held in the Monday afternoon. ("Herald" photo).



A scene from the Army School at the Victoria Recreation Club, showing spectators and competitors. ("Herald" photo).



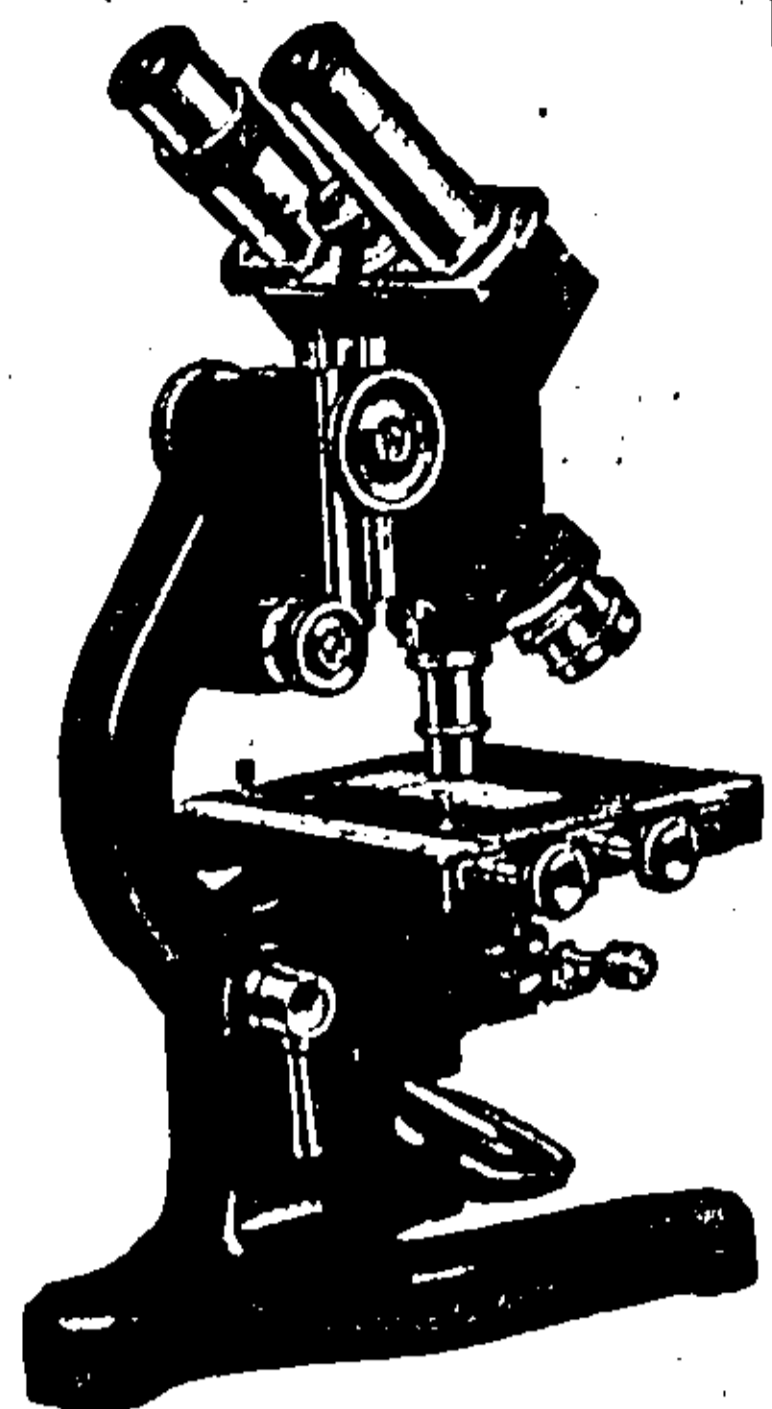
The pug mark of the tiger, which is causing grave concern among villagers on the mainland, is here compared with a match-box, seen just behind.



The Hon. Mr. Gerald Clegg-H Colony cricketers to play against 81 with his bonny little son. ("Herald" photo).



A group photograph taken on the occasion of the departure for Home of Mr. A. W. Wa, seen in centre, is here pictured with the officers and staff of his department. He left the



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About TOWN



Some of the happy crowd who attended the "Steak and Kidney" dinner given by the Volunteer Machine-gun Battalion Signals at Volunteer Headquarters last Wednesday. ("Herald" photo).

THERE used to be an old form of consolation for those who were sweltering on a hot day that consisted of telling them to "think of the North Pole." The North Pole has not been so much in people's thoughts in recent years since Peary and others have made all the observations they want, but lots of people have been thinking of the South Pole, which is even harder to get at. The aeroplane has made tragedies like that of Captain Scott much less likely, and several lost and half-starved parties have been spotted and rescued in time. But the main motive for the yearly exodus to Antarctic seas is mainly prompted by the fact that they are — or were a few years ago — simply swarming with whales, and whale oil has, until recently, fetched a good steady price. Hong Kong does not lie in the whaler's ordinary route south, but as we have a considerable Australian colony in Hong Kong, and even an Australian squad in the Volunteers, it may interest them to hear that their Dominion has recently doubled its area by annexing a vast extent of Antarctic land, where they would want stoves instead of frigidaires.

A Century Of Exploration

MOST annexations are really suggested by the curmudgeonly motive of keeping someone else out, and in this case the American flag hoisted in "Little America" and some suspicious movements of other foreign whalers, but chiefly the enormous increase in the number of whales killed and the flooding of the market with an excessive amount of oil, have their influence. Possession of the shores, with an occasional supply station dotted about, is an enormous help in regulating the industry in accordance with the rules which have been accepted by all the countries concerned, but not always observed.

The Antarctic Continent is now known to be a solid and continuous body of land, neither split up by long arms of the ocean as shown in the old maps, nor broken up by seas like the North Polar region. The names of the icebound sections of land preserve the fame of explorers long forgotten, from "Fenderby Land" fixed on the map in 1831, and "Kemp Land" in 1833. There has certainly been no hurry to annex and colonise either. "Knox Land" takes its name from an American, Lt. Wilkes, who landed there in 1840, and the Mawson English expedition in 1911 had the

chivalry to confer the name of "Wilkes Land" on an area they discovered. During the next three years they also added to the map "Queen Mary Land," and "King George V. Land." Captain Mawson still thirsted for more lands to conquer, and in his later expedition of 1929-1931, he added "MacRobertson Land," "Banzare Land," and "Princess Elizabeth Land." Two other areas are included, though they were discovered by Norwegian whalers five years ago — "Queen Maud's Land," and "Lars Christiansen Land."

The Antarctic Interior

FILM fans who happen to have a good memory can make quite a good picture of what this interior looks like. In extent it is 3,000,000 square miles — the same size as Australia itself. Long stretches of ice and snow are ribbed by the wind as the sand is ribbed on the shore, broken here and there by a steep line of rocky cliffs; there is abundant stock of all sorts of animals that wear fur and birds in plenty — the most notable, of course, the penguin.

holding his interminable meetings about nothing in particular. It is said that there is gold, and there is certainly coal in good seams. But the price of minerals would have to jump up quite a lot to induce miners to work where a man would have to keep working merely to keep warm.

Land Hunger

AS a race we are accused of a rapacious land-hunger, and here is another bit of evidence. Australians already have almost a square mile of land for each inhabitant, for their total population is only 6,750,000, and they already have most of New Guinea. Here is another three million square miles annexed first by Order-in-Council, and then taken over by the recently passed "Australian Antarctic Acceptance Act." One might get much satisfaction from concocting a list of those who should get a free grant of a square mile on condition of permanent occupation. The League of Nations has plenty of time just now to consider this.

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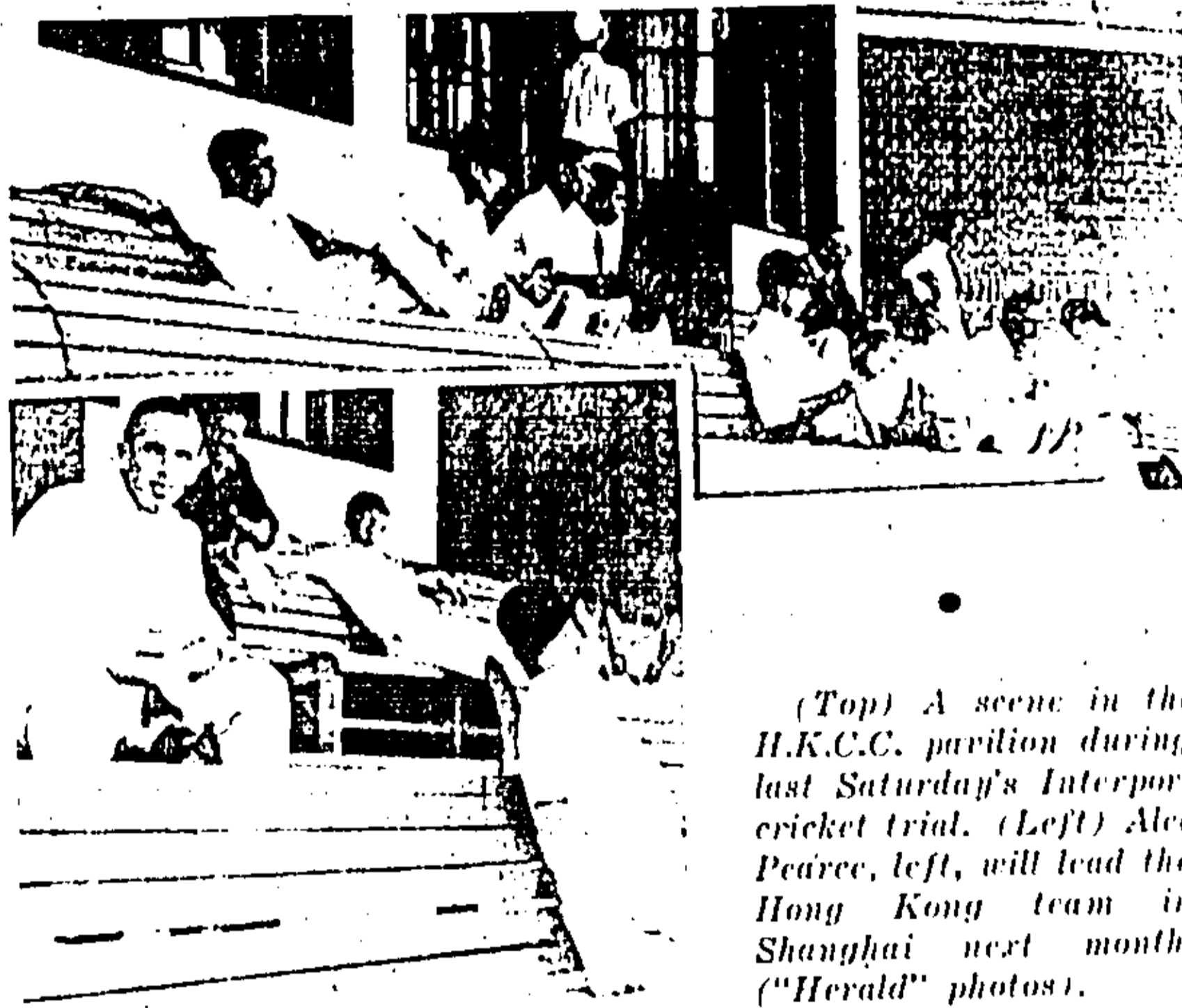
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Sports Chatter

Local Talent Against Japanese

W LAWRENCE, the Colony swimming champion, L. Rozapereira, the Colony diving champion, E. M. Marques, the Colony breast-stroke champion, Cpl. McCarthy, the Colony 50 Yards free-style champion, L. Oliveira, H. L. Ozorio, H. G. Lange and Norman Lee have promised to swim against the Japanese World Olympic swimmers, who are expected to give an exhibition at the European Y.M.C.A. swimming pool on October 6.



(Top) A scene in the H.K.C.C. pavilion during last Saturday's Interport cricket trial. (Left) Alec Pearce, left, will lead the Hong Kong team in Shanghai next month. ('Herald' photos).

Ground Boy's Success

WHEN Taikoo Recreation Club played one of their League lawn bowls matches recently, they were one player short so they enlisted the services of one of their ground boys, and he did very well at No. 2. This lad, incidentally, also won the 10-cent head!

Bonnar Not Playing Cricket

J. L. BONNAR, the former Hong Kong Cricket Club fast-medium bowler, stated the other day that he has definitely given up cricket and that he will concentrate on Rugby football this winter.

"Swire Cup" At Taikoo

W. BROWN, the billiards con- venerator at the Taikoo Recreation Club, is arranging to have the competition for the "Swire Cup," which was won last year by T. Stinton, started shortly.

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Wappinshaw Winners

MRS. J. C. POLSON won the ladies' prize in the annual Wappinshaw competition at the Taikoo Recreation Club, while Mr. J. C. Chalmers took the prize for the men's section. This competition is regarded as the most important Club bowls fixture of the year and is always looked forward to by the ladies and gentlemen members alike.

Campbell Playing For K.E.C.

CAPT. CAMPBELL, the Rifles' centre-half, has left the Army and, according to information received, has taken a position in the Royal Naval Dockyard. I understand that he will be wearing the Kowloon Football Club colours this season and, if this is true, he should strengthen the side considerably.

By the Judge

Fleming's Interport Chances

A. FLEMING, the Hong Kong Football Club's latest capture—an inside-right—played for Glasgow Rangers' Nursery team and also secured several trials for the Rangers. Nicely built, he is a deadly shot near goal, and is almost certain to make a big bid for Interport honours in this his first season here.

Dowman Not Playing Soccer

A. S. C. Dowman, the Police Second Division centre-half, will be leaving the Colony on leave some time in November, he has decided not to play soccer this season. He will, however, be seen with the hockey team till then.

Kowloon Chinese Officials

J. LEE, who was in charge of the Athletic team last season, is now in charge of the Kowloon Chinese Football Club and has in Ip Kau-ko, another former Athletic supporter, a good assistant.

Lim Playing For Kowloon Chinese

LIM, who has played in goal for the University for several seasons, will be turning out for the Kowloon Chinese until December. He is in his final year and will take his final examinations at the end of the year.

Omar To Play Cricket

A. M. OMAR, who played soccer for the Radio and Eastern last year, has promised to play cricket for Craigengower Cricket Club this season and may not be seen on the football field.

Man Singh Transfers

MAN SINGH, Radio's hockey goal-keeper, will be playing for the Kowloon Indians' Tennis Club this year.



Going out to field in the Interport cricket trial at the H.K.C.C. last Saturday. Left to right are F. D. Pereira, E. F. Fincher, A. R. Minn, A. T. Lee and L. D. Kilbee. ('Herald' photo).

Four Who Will Be Missed

WITH the exception of Teddy Fincher, Harry Owen Hughes, F. D. Pereira and J. E. Richardson, the selected Colony cricket team to visit Shanghai next month is the strongest we could possibly field.

Wrestling Aspirants

THE Wrestling and Gymnasium classes which are shortly to be commenced at the European Y.M.C.A. under the guidance of Mr. W. Muir, have to date drawn a better response than at first, the following having signified their intention of participating: F. Fowler, T. R. Ingram, A. Tuttle, C. Broch, A. H. Moss, J. Milln, C. Hughes and D. Smart.

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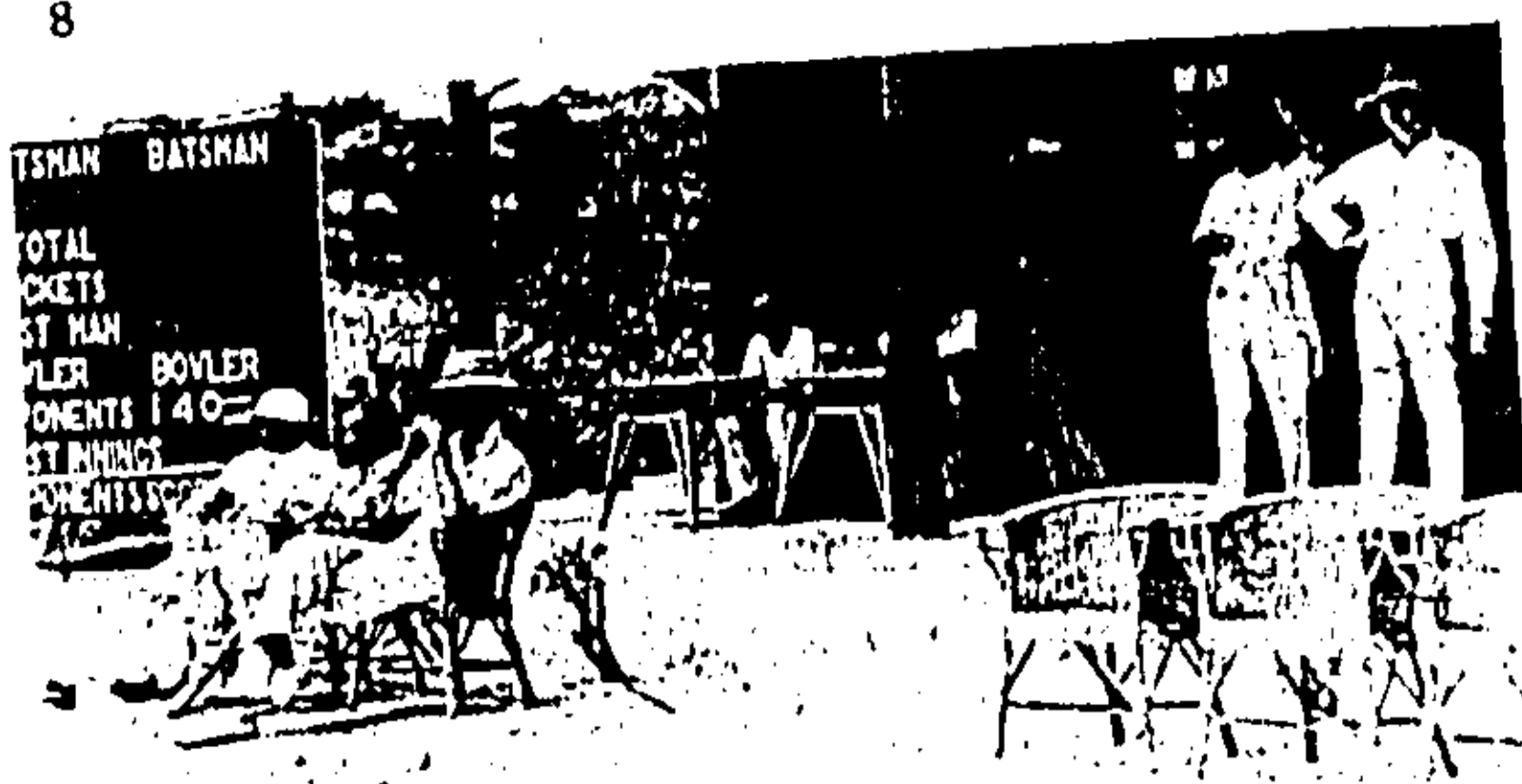
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A scene outside the Royal Naval Recreation Club last Sunday, when the Army played the Navy in an all-day cricket match. ("Herald" photo).



The flying boat that brought Air-Commodore Sydney Smith to the Colony is here shown taxiing in towards Kai Tak last Tuesday afternoon. ("Herald" photo).



Mr. W. P. Thompson, A.S.P., and Miss Norah Haggitt photographed after their wedding at the Peak Church last Saturday afternoon. ("Herald" photo).



Air-Commodore Sydney Smith, Officer Commanding the Royal Air Force in the Far East. ("Herald" photo).



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"MILLION-AIRS ON PARADE"

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AT CRAIGENGOWER CLUB

The Portuguese Amateurs, under the title of "Million-Airs on Parade," will repeat, at the Craigenower Cricket Club this evening, the programme which was so well received at its original presentation a couple of weeks ago. A few slight alterations have been made, which, in the opinion of those responsible for the entertainment, will greatly improve the revue.

The musical direction of the show is in the capable hands of Mr. Art Carneiro, who needs little introduction to local audiences. The Moana Beach Boys, Ozo and His Boy Friends, Miss Doreen Ma, the talented Tavares Sisters, Mr. Gus d'Almeida, Miss May Carneiro, and many other well-known local artistes will take part.

An informal dance will follow the performance, and tickets for the concert and dance, at \$1 each, are obtainable at the door. The proceeds will be devoted to the Society of St. Vincent de Paul.

FRENCH CONVENT BAZAAR

Opening Ceremony By
Mrs. Wellington

The pupils at the French Convent, Causeway Bay, had a gala day yesterday when the annual sale of work in aid of the Hospital and Orphanage was opened by Mrs. A. R. Wellington, wife of the Director of Medical and Sanitary Services, and was largely attended by parents of the pupils and well-wishers of the school. The sale of work will be continued to-day, and situated as they are in the School Hall, the stalls are arranged so neatly as to allow of a maximum of standing room for the visitors.

There were cushions, dolls, sweets and articles of clothing and fancy work on sale, and most of these were done by the pupils or orphans in the school. The bazaar is an annual event which is always very eagerly looked forward to, and judging by the support that was given to it yesterday, the sale of work this year promises to be as successful as those held in previous years.

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Well-Known Chinese
On Board

The Imperial Airways plane Dorado left Kai Tak at 5.50 a.m. yesterday, carrying three passengers, 69,928 kilos of mail and 5,770 kilos of freight. The passengers were General Chan Hong-Kong, commander of the 60th Division of the 4th Group Army in Kwangtung, whose resignation was recently accepted by Gen. Ye Han-mou. He is making a tour of the western countries to further his knowledge in military affairs. He will first visit Germany, where he is expected to meet Gen. Chan Chi-tang, the former Kwangtung military chief. He is accompanied by his private adviser, Dr. Yao Wan Nien. They are bound for Penang, and Mr. R. E. Wyatt, the other passenger, is bound for Singapore.

ANTI-HEROIN WORK

SUPPORT FOR THE
PROPOSAL

MR. H. S. MOK INTERVIEWED

That anti-heroin work in Hong Kong is an urgent need is the view expressed by Mr. H. S. Mok, a leading member of the local Chinese community, who has also held several responsible posts with the Chinese Government.

Mr. Mok said that the idea of starting anti-heroin clinics in the Colony is a capital one because "heroin is a more poisonous drug than opium, and although I am not a member of the Board of Directors of the Tung Wah Hospital, I think they should take up this very humane work. Because heroin is so easy to carry, and one can take it just as easily as swallowing a 'liver pill,' there are more heroin addicts in the Colony than those affected by the opium curse."

"Anti-opium work is being done in Hong Kong as in other parts of China, and as a result of it much good is being achieved. There is an anti-opium ward in the Tung Wah Eastern Hospital, but I think there is a bigger need for an anti-heroin ward."

"This is not the type of work that can be undertaken by private enterprise or any one individual," said Mr. Mok, who continued that "the movement must be given moral, if not financial, support by the authorities, and if Mr. Lau King Tsing feels that he can do some good, I feel that he ought to be given a chance to see what results he can bring."

Education Necessary

Mr. Mok said that education was a tremendous factor in making the masses appreciate the evils wrought in this world by the two drugs mentioned, and that it would be a good thing if these specially interested in anti-heroin work could arrange to have a series of lectures delivered in public, in addition to distributing propaganda against the use of heroin or opium.

Concluding, Mr. Mok said that "the increased sentences imposed on people found guilty of offences under the Dangerous Drugs Ordinance ought to have a deterrent effect on anybody wishing to be implicated in the drug traffic, but there is so much poverty in Hong Kong that the offers of reward for services rendered to any of the big dealers in narcotics are almost always irresistible."

NEW SHIPPING POLICY

Subsidies For Local
Builders

RATES ANNOUNCED

(From A Special Correspondent)

Canton, Yesterday. In order to encourage the native shipping business in China the Executive Yuan has decided to allow subsidies at the following rates for new ships built by Chinese owners:—

500 to 1,000 tons	\$12 per ton
1,000 to 2,000 "	" \$16 "
2,000 to 3,000 "	" \$20 "
3,000 to 5,000 "	" \$24 "
5,000 tons and upwards	" \$28 "

HAILE SELASSIE RETURNS TO LONDON

London, Yesterday.—The Emperor Haile Selassie arrived back in London yesterday after his visit to Geneva.—British Wireless Service.

Atlantic Air Service

Berlin, Yesterday.—The German Lufthansa intends to open the regular airmail service across the North Atlantic to America in 1937. Airmail matter from Berlin to New York will then be delivered 48 hours after despatch in Berlin, according to an announcement by Baron von Gablets, the chief of the Lufthansa.

It is, however, so Baron von Gablets stated, necessary that the Governments over whose territory the hydroplanes must pass do not withhold their permission. Baron von Gablets further stated that American air experts had been



Miss Ollie Heitz of Atlantic City, New Jersey, is here shown as she received the cup emblematic of her election as Miss North America in the beauty pageant at Augusta, Maine. Eddie Dowling, stage and screen star, made the presentation.

MANOEUVRES IN GERMANY

Big Exercises Brought
To A Close

"SUNDAY HERALD" SPECIAL

Bad Nauheim, Yesterday. The German autumn manoeuvres, in which several Army Corps, as well as mechanised divisions and several squadrons of the Air Force took part, were concluded here yesterday in the presence of Chancellor Hitler, the War-Minister General von Blomberg, General von Seeckt and many other former commanders of the Reichswehr and officers of the former Imperial Army, as well as the foreign Military Attaches.

The climax of the five days' and four nights' fighting, which took place on extremely difficult territory and under conditions as nearly as possible resembling real war, was the decisive battle yesterday in the course of which the "Blue Army" pierced the lines of the "Red Army" by a frontal attack in which numerous tanks and armoured-cars took part.—Trans Ocean Service.

THE LEAGUE OF NATIONS

Danzig Incident
Closed

"SUNDAY HERALD" SPECIAL

Geneva, Yesterday. At yesterday's session of the League Council, the report of the Polish Government on the Danzig incident on the occasion of the visit of the cruiser Leipzig was received, according to which no intentional slight towards the League of Nations High Commissioner was intended. The Council thereupon declared the incident closed.

Subsequently the Council passed a motion terminating the financial control over Austria, which had been in operation since 1932. The Austrian Minister of Finance drew attention to the fact that the Austrian Budget was nearly balanced, the debt service of the State being fully maintained and transferred, while the Austrian currency had overcome all difficulties.—Trans-Ocean Service.

CHINA COTTON AND YARN

Prices Firm And
Steady

GREAT SPOT DEMAND

In spite of the rumours that this year's crop is extraordinarily good, the prices for China cotton and yarn were firm and steady throughout the week, stated an official of the China Cotton and Yarn Co. yesterday.

On Friday, however, prices for both cotton and yarn advanced. The difference between the opening and closing rate of the latter being almost \$30. This sudden advance was undoubtedly due to the trouble in Shanghai.

Owing to the devaluation of the franc in Europe, the prices are steadily going up.

The following are the opening and closing prices of both cotton and yarn, as received by the China Cotton and Yarn Co. yesterday:—

	Opened at	Closed at
October (Yarn) ...	\$205.10	\$207.00
October (Cotton) ...	\$39.25	\$39.40
November (Yarn) ...	\$205.20	\$206.50
November (Cotton) ...	\$39.70	\$39.80
December (Yarn) ...	\$205.20	\$206.50
December (Cotton) ...	\$39.50	\$39.65
January (Yarn) ...	\$205.30	\$206.30
January (Cotton) ...	\$40.10	\$40.10
February (Yarn) ...	\$205.20	\$206.50
February (Cotton) ...	\$40.45	\$40.35

CHINA'S TRADE WITH SLAM

Direct Shipping
Service?

According to Mr. Vilas Ostannada, the local Trade Commissioner for Siam, there are plans in hand for the establishment of a direct mercantile shipping service between North China and Siam.

The scheme is to be supported by the Governments of both China and Siam. Sailing from Shanghai the ships, according to the scheme, will touch at Amoy, Swatow and Hong Kong.

NEW CONSUMPTION TAX

Proposed Raising
Unlikely

Tientsin, Yesterday.

There is small possibility that the new consumption tax will be raised from the proposed one-eighth to one-quarter of the Customs' import tariff, according to a spokesman of the Hoppel-Chanar Political Council Bureau of Inspection.

The promoters' hope of increasing the amount of the tax, it was explained, was based on a desire to strengthen the bureau by increasing its revenue. The plan is alleged to be entertained by Mr. Wang Hung-en and some other officials of the bureau.—Union News.

NEW MARKET AT WANCHAI

UP-TO-DATE STRUCTURE
BEING BUILT

TO BE OPENED NEXT YEAR

FOR 50 years now the Wanchai Market has served as the most important centre of its kind in the Eastern District, from Arsenal Street down almost to Happy Valley, and every day hundreds of people go there to buy their food, be it vegetable, poultry, meat or fish. Very soon, however, this old landmark will disappear from the map, for with the new market nearing completion, the old building will be pulled down, though what the site will be used for in the future has not yet been decided.

The Wanchai Market has been a useful institution for half a century, and though its demolition will cut off yet another link with earlier Hong Kong, it is a step which will be commended by all concerned, from a sanitary point of view if for no other reason.

Hitherto markets in the Colony have lacked suitable cold storage facilities, but for purely economic reasons it has not been found possible to equip them with such luxuries.

Situated as it is at the foot of the Wanchai end of Morrison Gap Road, the old Market is directly in the motor road from town to the Eastern district, and people going to Repulse Bay or the Stubbs road vicinity must pass by this place unless they take a roundabout route, with a resultant loss of time. It can be imagined, therefore, that such a drive is not always very pleasant, especially at

about 5 o'clock when the Market is being cleaned out after the afternoon rush. Thanks to the better situation of the new market, and the better arrangements therein, the small nuisance will be reduced to a minimum, if not done away with altogether.

Building Delayed

In an interview with the principal of Messrs. Young Fat, Building Contractors, who are responsible for the construction of the new market, it was learned that building operations will be completed early in the New Year and that the market will probably be opened in February or March 1937. Work on the site, which is opposite to the present market, actually commenced in October 1935, but owing to the fact that the steel structure, specially ordered from England, was late in arrival, progress was consequently cramped, and whereas the building should nearly have been completed by this time, it will now not be ready for another five or six months.

The building itself will be a two-storeyed one, with a basement where the unloading of the different produce will be done, and where also the different types of vegetable, fish and meat etc., will be sorted out. The whole of the first floor will be devoted to the fish stalls, and these stalls will be something like those in the Sai-yungpun Market, with a low divisional brick wall separating them. They will be so constructed as to allow a maximum of standing room for those doing their marketing and to reduce congestion to a minimum.

Other Accommodation

Divided into three sections, the second floor will provide accommodation for the meat, poultry and vegetable stalls, and it is presumed that space will also be found for a few fruit stalls here. As elaborate arrangements as possible are being made to give independent sources of water supply to each stall-holder, and it is also learned that the strictest supervision will be maintained in order that the market will constantly be kept in a clean and sanitary condition.

Quarters for the market caretakers will be found on the mezzanine floor, at the rear of the market proper. In short, the new Wanchai Market will be a distinct boon to residents in those districts who have to obtain their food supplies from this place, while it has been hinted that with the improved conditions many new customers will be found for "Wanchai."

Departures By McKinley

The following passengers sailed from Hong Kong to Victoria and Seattle via ports on the a.s. President McKinley at midnight on Friday:—
Mr. Koo Shuy Ting, Mrs. Wei, Miss Wei, Mrs. Huang On and 1 infant, Mrs. Siao, Mrs. F. H. Hetrey, Mr. Feltche, Mr. H. S. Dunn, Miss B. Chan, Mr. Lam Kin Po, Mr. M. P. Mak, Mr. T. O. Tso, Mr. Wong Sai Wo, Dr. J. W. Lum, Mr. Lin Chu Kun, Mr. Lom Yik Chiu, Miss M. L. Lawrence, Mr. Gao, Mrs. B. E. Elliott, Mr. Chow Yan San, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Yin, Mr. Ho Sze Koon, Mr. Lee Tak On, Mr. Sum, Hon Fong, Mr. C. O. Kew, Mr. C. B. Bernard, Mr. T. Chen, Miss Wei, Mr. J. S. Sic, Miss F. Cheng, Mr. K. O. Chan, Group Captain Wollock, Mr. R. Blinn, Mr. F. S. Grant, Mr. Mok Ping Sam, Mr. G. O. Harrell, Mr. H. T. Ling, Mr. U. Spallinger, Miss Lee Ying, Mr. and Mrs. Cha-N. Yee, Mr. V. E. Forster, Mr. and Mrs. Chan Yia Lai, Mr. Chan T. Man, Mr. Chu Ngai Man, Miss L. D. Blair, Mr. W. C. A. Freeman, Mrs. W. F. Stickman, Mr. C. C. Lee, Mr. Koll Tam, Mr. Shen Sze Hong, Mr. Lal Yim Sang, Mr. P. S. Chan, Mr. and Mrs. E. Y. Bernard, Mr. Mak Cheok Ping, Mrs. Ho, Mrs. K. C. Feng, Mr. Huang On, Mr. S. N. C. Lui, Mr. Wei, Mrs. K. C. Chan, Mr. Lui, Mr. Kung Slang, Mr. Paul Tam, Mr. Kung Hok Yau, Mr. P. S. Dietz, Mr. Hong Hok Yau, Mr. P. S. Lim, Mr. S. H. Wan, Mrs. U. Spallinger, Miss Cecilia Rocha, Mr. Ho Sing Chee, Mr. Nitcho, Mr. and Mrs. Shek Tes Ling, Mr. Kung Ngok Nam, Mr. John H. Lawrence, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Reynolds, Mr. Howard Smith, Mrs. M. Sweeney, Mrs. C. P. Lee, Miss Rose Tom, Mr. Kung Chik Wong, Mr. Leung Yen Hin, Mrs. N. K. Chang, Mr. and Mrs. W. Seifert, Mr. W. John Grant.

DEPARTURES BY PRES. GARFIELD

The following passengers left Hong Kong for New York and Marseilles via ports on the a.s. President Garfield yesterday:—Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Toombs, Mr. J. F. McKiernan, Mr. and Mrs. Anabelle Bachrach, Mrs. Frances Hobbs, Miss Virginia Kelly, Mrs. H. M. Cavender, Mrs. Flora Ottedahl, Mrs. S. J. Wilson.

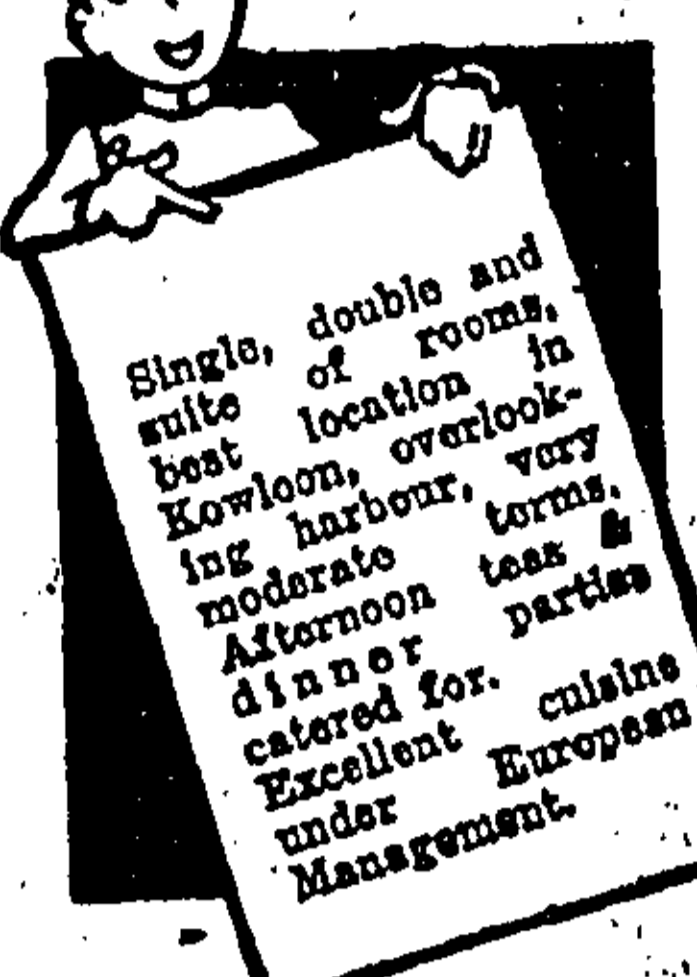
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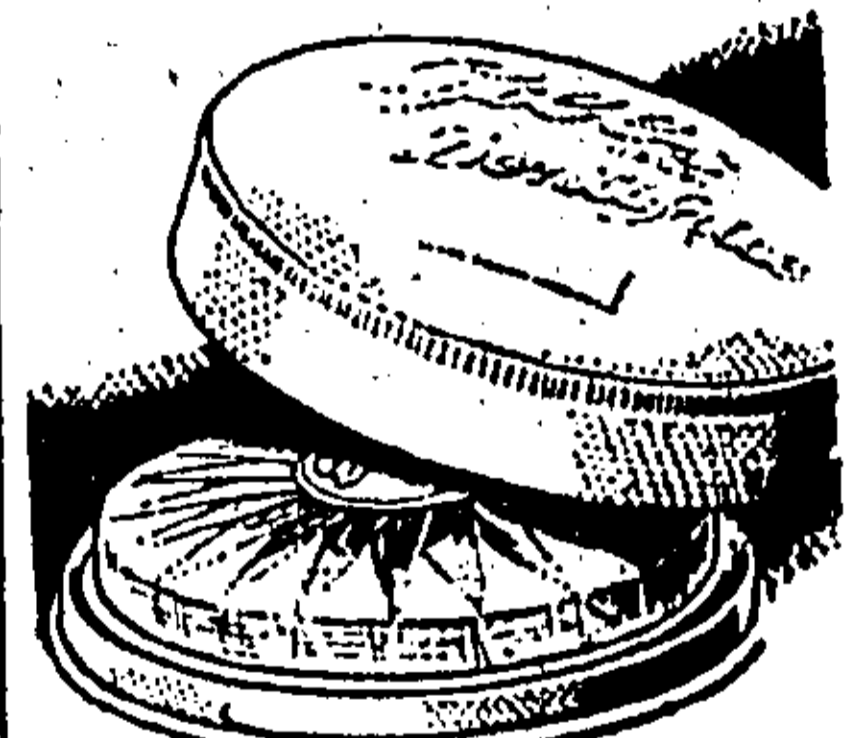
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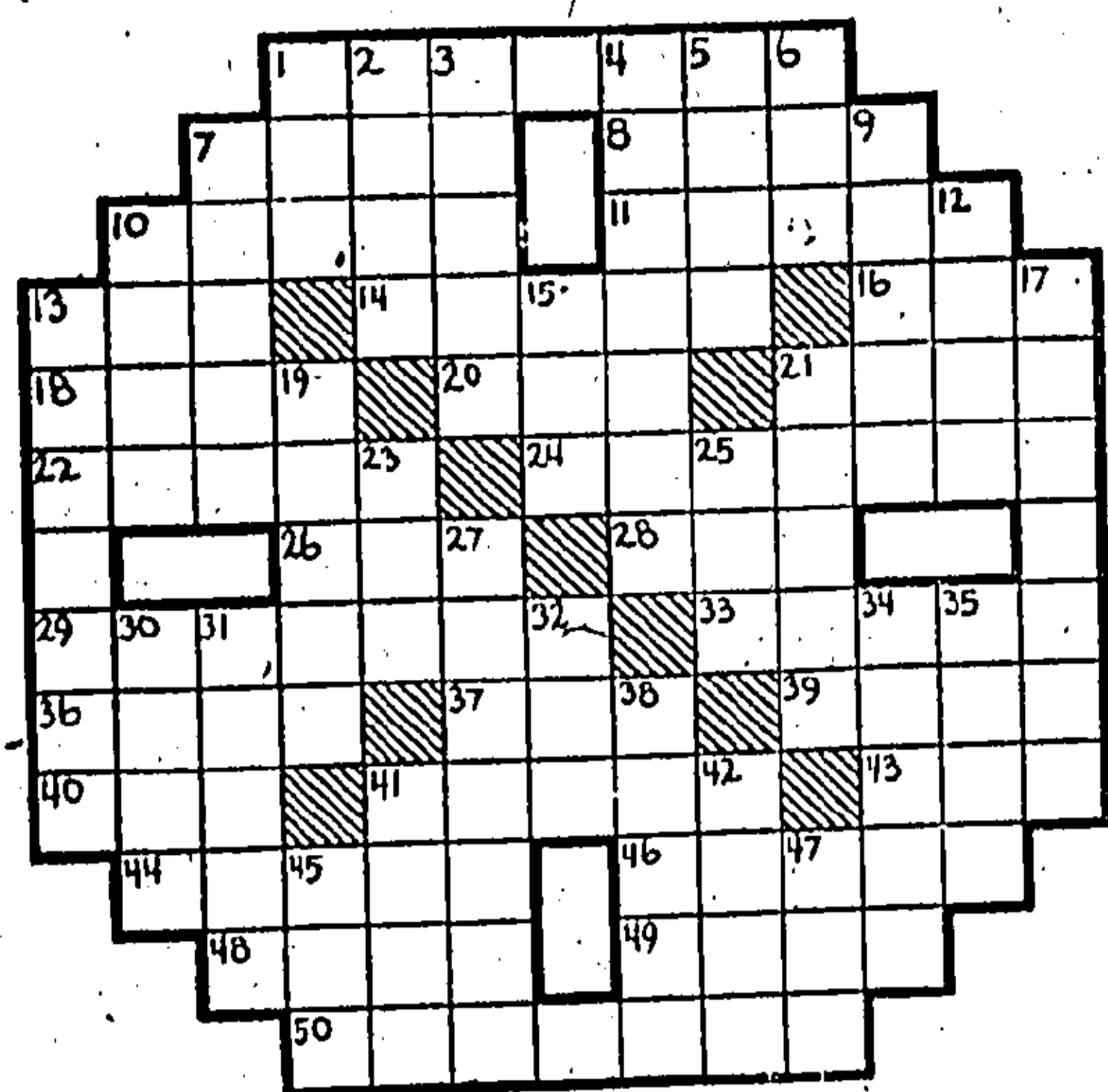
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OUR CROSS-WORD PUZZLE

This cross-word puzzle has been made by an expert but our readers are warned to look out for occasional phonetic spelling, such as harbor, plow, and altho.



HORIZONTAL
1-Capital of Ontario
7-Father of English learning
8-Organ of hearing
10-Pecuniary penalties
11-Anoint
13-Pronoun
14-Boastful
16-A constellation
18-A metal
20-Saints (abbr.)
21-Possessive of Ann
22-A title (Sp.)
24-Landed properties
26-Residence (abbr.)
28-Sailor
29-Excessive fatness
33-Pertaining to the trunk of a tree
36-Ascend
37-Of age (Lat. abbr.)
39-Bird home

HORIZONTAL (Cont.)
40-Affirmative reply
41-Easily broken
43-Farm animal
44-To overthrow by
45-Contrary evidence
46-Drink to the health of
48-Not any
49-Suggest indirectly
50-Accost
VERTICAL
1-Half a score
2-Lyric poems
3-Grates
4-Closet
5-An armored car
6-Crude metal
7-North American buffalo
9-Slope
10-Ignite

VERTICAL (Cont.)
12-Eagle
13-Annals
15-Consumed
17-Affirm
19-The Scandinavian people
21-First Jewish high priest
23-Portuguese coin
25-A flap
27-Began
30-Framework for carrying a corpse
31-Prussian city
32-Affirmative reply
34-Smallest
35-Assistant (abbr.)
36-A tax of one-tenth
41-An ample stock
42-Girl's name
45-Large serpent
47-Answer (abbr.)

Radio: To-day's Programme

The following programme will be broadcast to-day from the Hong Kong Broadcasting Station Z.B.W. on a wavelength of 355 metres. (845 K.C.A.)

10.30-11.30 a.m.—A Relay of the Morning Service from the Union Church.

11.30 a.m.—12.15 p.m.—A Relay of the Morning Service from the Hop Yat Church (Chinese).

12.15-2.30 p.m.—European recorded programme.

12.15 p.m.—"Concerto in A Minor" for Piano and Orchestra (Grieg, Op. 16) played by Ignaz Friedman and the Orchestra conducted by Philipp Gaultier.

12.45 p.m.—A Short Recital by Fritz Kreisler (Viola).

1. A May breeze ("Songs without Words") (Mendelssohn).
2. Londonderry Air (arr. Kreisler).
3. Marguerite (Rachmaninoff, arr. Kreisler).

1 p.m.—Local: Time Signal and Weather Report.
1.03 p.m.—Music by Military Bands.

La Source Ballet (arr. Winterbottom).
Hobomok—Intermezzo (Reeves).
Wedding of the Rose (Jessel).

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Medley of Scottish Airs.
The Bells of St. Malo (Rimmer).
Semper Fidelis March (Souza).

1.30 p.m.—Reuter Press, Local Weather forecast, time and announcements.

1.40 p.m.—Malcolm McEachern (Class) and the Light Opera Company.

Vocal Gems—
Lilac Domino (Cuvillier).

Songs—
Danny Deever (Damrosch).
The Witch of Bowden (Smith).

Vocal Gems—
The Waltz Dream (Strauss).

Song—
In Praise of Alo (Cedric Sharpe).

2 p.m.—Light Orchestral Music.
Midnight Rose (D'Erlanger).
Berceuse (Jarnoff).

Praeludium (Jarnoff).
A Night on the Waves (Finnish Waltz) (Koskima).

The Merry Middles (Brooke).
Dream Pictures—Fantasia (Lumbye).
Merry Vienna—Waltz (Miesel).

2.30 p.m.—CLOSE DOWN.
4.7 p.m.—Chinese Programme.

7.10.30 p.m.—European Programme.

7 p.m.—"Symphony No. 7 in A Minor" (Beethoven, Op. 92) played by the Philadelphia Symphony Orchestra, conducted by Leopold Stokowski.

1st Movement—Poco sostenuto: Vivace.

2nd Movement—Allegretto.

3rd Movement—Presto.

4th Movement—Allegro con brio.

7.42 p.m.—"Moment Musical No. 3" (Schubert) Transcription played by the Lerner String Quartet.

7.45 p.m.—From the Studio.
A Recital of Sacred Songs by Doris Blair (Soprano) accompanied by Luba Shafitkin.

Programme
1. Rejoice Greatly Handel.

2. The Virgin's Slumber Song Max Regar.

3. O Divine Redeemer Gounod.

4. Were you there? Burlingame.

8 p.m.—Local: Time Signal, Weather Report and announcements.

8.03 p.m.—The B.B.C. Military Band.

Prince Igor—Ballet Dances Nos. 1 to 4 (Borodin).

Slavonic Dance No. 5 (Dvorak).

8.15 p.m.—From the Studio.
A Recital by Pedro Antonio (Viola) and Lindsay A. Lafford (Pianoforte).

Programme
1. Pianoforte Solo—Nocturne in G Minor Chopin.

2. Violoncello—Beethoven, Op. 17.
1st Movement—Allegro moderato.
2nd Movement—Poco adagio, quasi Andante.

3rd Movement—Rondo, Allegro moderato.

3. Pianoforte Solos—The Little Shepherd; The Gollwog's Cake Walk Debussy.

8.40 p.m.—The Berlin State Opera Orchestra.

Jubel—Overture (Weber).
Le Prophete—Coronation March (Meyerbeer).

Hannell and Gretel (Humperdinck).
1. Watches' Ride (Kotzebey).
2. Ginger Bread Waltz.

9 p.m.—Reuter Press.

9.10 p.m.—"Pomp and Circumstance March No. 4" (Elgar).

9.15 p.m.—From the Studio.
"In a Persian Garden"—Song Cycle by Lisa Lehmann sung by Irene Miller (Soprano), Helen Lockhart (Contralto), Edgar Warner (Tenor) and Victor Sanders (Baritone) accompanied by E. O'Neill Shaw.

9.50 p.m.—Two Organ Solos by Reginald Foort.

1. Sanctuary of the Heart (Kotzebey).

2. In a Chinese Temple Garden (Kotzebey).

10 p.m.—BIG BEN from London.
The London Palladium Orchestra.

London Again—Suite (Eric Coates).
Childhood Memories (arr. Somers).
The Grasshopper's Dance (Bucalosi).
The Thistle—A Selection of Scotch Melodies (Myddleton).

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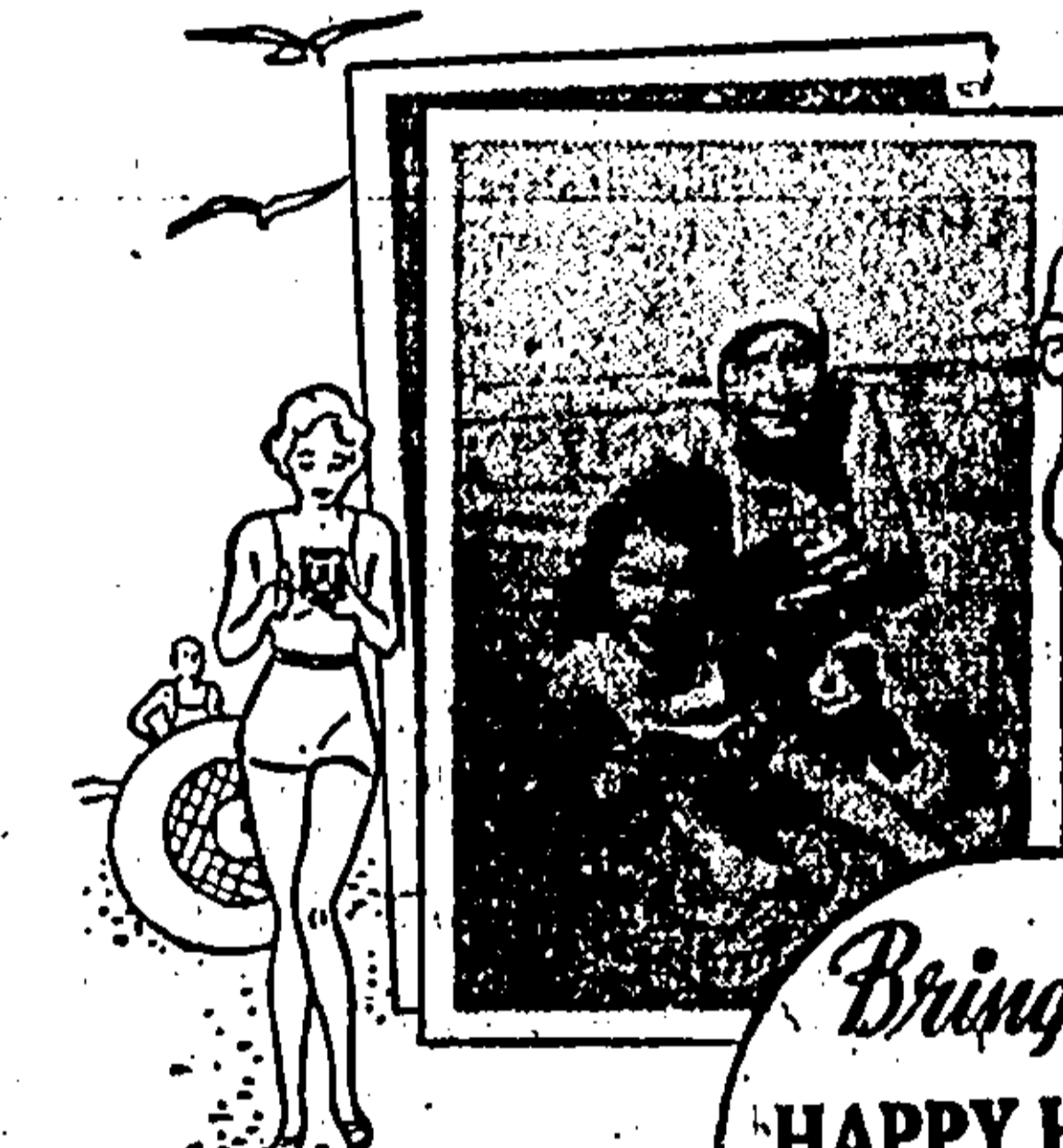
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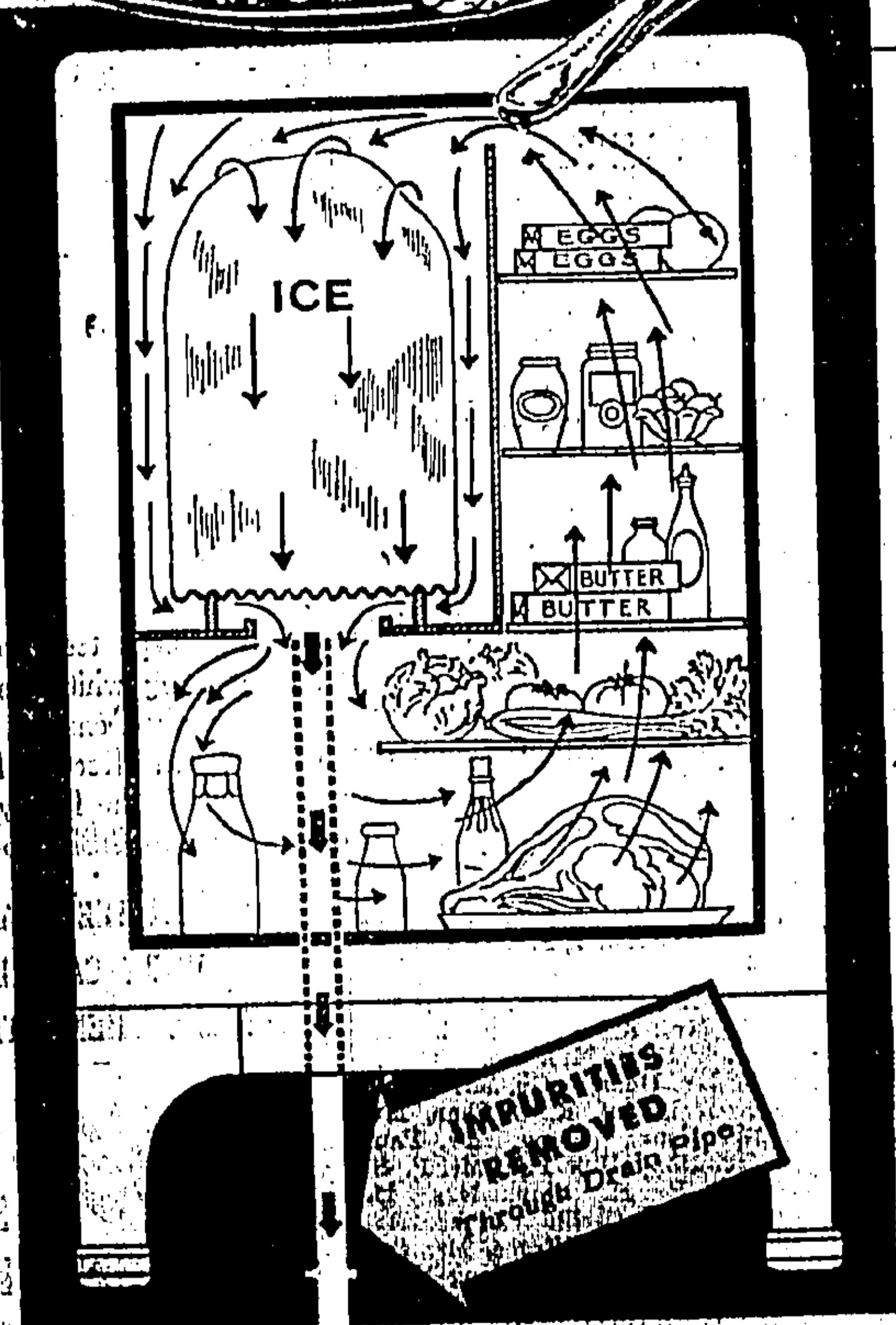
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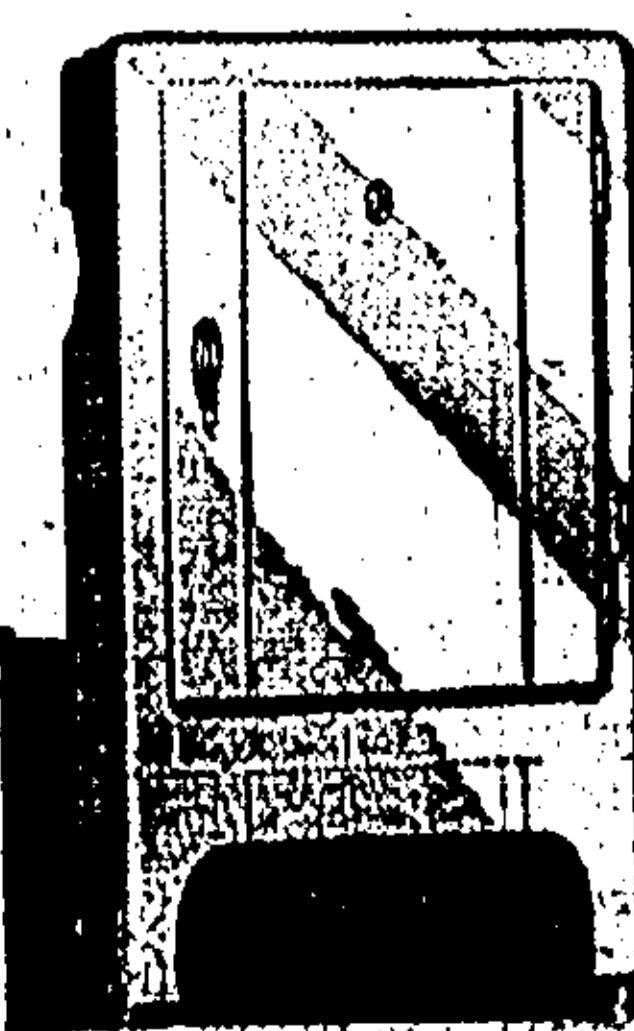


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[From A Special Correspondent]

Canton, Yesterday.
It will be recalled that before the Generalissimo led his troops for the expeditions against the North in August, 1926, he was the Principal of the Whampoa Military Academy. The people of Whampoa appreciate his work so much that they decided at a meeting to give the Generalissimo a warm welcome on Tuesday last.

After thanking the audience for their cordial greetings, the Generalissimo remarked that Whampoa should be made into a place where the three principles of the late Dr. Sun Yat-sen may be applied. He added that he had been away from Whampoa for ten years, and to return there was like returning to his native home.

He told the people of Whampoa that the aged people should be supported by the younger, the strong should use their energy and ability to help society, and the young should receive attention from their elders. He continued by saying that all people should be able to recognise honesty and shame, keep discipline and love their country.

Turning to the students, the Generalissimo said that they should be filial to their parents and respect their teachers and superiors, love their schoolmates, and be diligent and thrifty. He expected, he said, that Whampoa students should do as much as the Whampoa cadets had done for the country, and remarked that the principles of the late Dr. Sun Yat-sen were a fundamental part of their learning.



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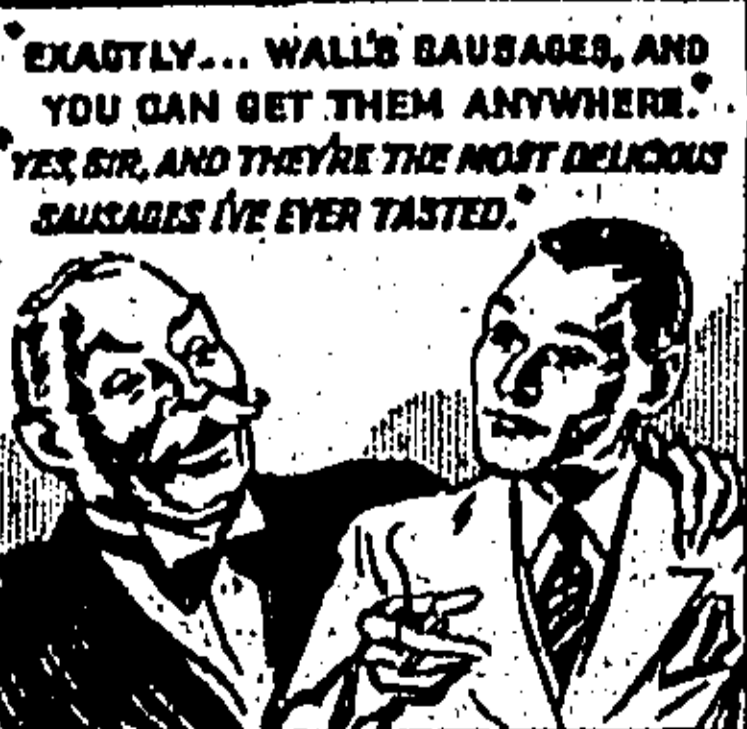
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U.S.R.C. HAD BAD LUCK IN MIXED DOUBLES

HOW CLUBS FARED

TSUI YAN-PUY AND MISS PERRY HEAD THE PARTNERSHIP RECORDS

LEONARD AND HACHIUMA MOST SUCCESSFUL IN "B" DIVISION TENNIS LEAGUE

(By The Sports Editor)

The following shows how the Clubs fared:

MIXED DOUBLES

CHINESE R.C. (14 points)

(Holders)

beat Recrelo	7½-1½
beat Recrelo	8-1
beat K.C.C. "A"	8-1
lost to K.C.C. "A"	3½-5½
beat K.C.C. "B"	9-0
beat K.C.C. "B"	8-1
beat U.S.R.C.	7-2
beat U.S.R.C.	7-2

Total 58-14

KOWLOON C.C. "A" (11 points)

beat Recrelo	7½-1½
beat Recrelo	9-0
lost to C.R.C.	1-8
lost to C.R.C.	5½-3½
beat K.C.C. "B"	7½-1½
beat K.C.C. "B"	7-2
drew with U.S.R.C.	4½-4½
lost to U.S.R.C.	3-6

Total 45-27

UNITED SERVICES R.C. (11 points)

beat Recrelo	5-1
beat Recrelo	9-0
lost to C.R.C.	2-7
lost to C.R.C.	2-7
beat K.C.C. "A"	6-3
drew with K.C.C. "A"	4½-4½
beat K.C.C. "B"	7-2
beat K.C.C. "B"	7-2

Total 42½-26½

CLUB DE RECREIO (3 points)

lost to C.R.C.	1½-7½
lost to C.R.C.	1-8
lost to K.C.C. "A"	1½-7½
lost to K.C.C. "A"	0-9
drew with K.C.C. "B"	4½-4½
beat K.C.C. "B"	5-1
lost to U.S.R.C.	1-8
lost to U.S.R.C.	0-9

Total 14½-54½

KOWLOON C.C. "B" (1 point)

drew with Recrelo	4½-4½
lost to Recrelo	4-5
lost to C.R.C.	0-9
lost to C.R.C.	1-8
lost to K.C.C. "A"	1½-7½
lost to K.C.C. "A"	2-7
lost to U.S.R.C.	2-7
lost to U.S.R.C.	2-7

Total 17-55

"B" DIVISION

CHINESE R.C. "A" (18 points)

beat Recrelo	5½-3½
beat C.B.A.	7-2
beat C.C.C.	6½-2½
rec. w.o. C.R.C. "B"	9-0
beat H.K.C.C.	7-2
beat University	7-2
beat I.R.C.	9-0
beat K.C.C.	6-3

Total 63-18

CLUB DE RECREIO (15 points)

beat C.B.A.	8-1
beat C.C.C.	7-2
beat C.C.C.	5-4
lost to C.R.C. "A"	3-6
beat C.R.C. "B"	6-3
beat H.K.C.C.	8-1
beat University	8½-½
beat I.R.C.	9-0
drew with K.C.C.	4½-4½

Total 59-22

KOWLOON C.C. (12 points)

drew with Recrelo	4½-4½
beat C.B.A.	8-1
lost to C.C.C.	3½-5½
drew with C.C.C.	4½-4½
lost to C.R.C. "A"	3-6
beat C.R.C. "B"	7-2
beat H.K.C.C.	5-4
beat University	7-2
beat I.R.C.	7-2

Total 49½-31½

CRAIGENGOWER (12 points)

lost to Recrelo	2-7
beat C.B.A.	9-0
beat C.C.C.	7½-1½
lost to C.R.C. "A"	2-7
beat C.R.C. "B"	6½-2½
beat H.K.C.C.	5½-3½
lost to University	3½-5½
beat I.R.C.	7-2
beat K.C.C.	5½-3½

Total 48½-32½

H. K. UNIVERSITY (10 points)

lost to Recrelo	½-8½
beat C.B.A.	6-3
beat C.C.C.	5½-3½
lost to C.C.C.	½-8½
lost to C.R.C. "A"	2-7
beat C.R.C. "B"	2-7
beat H.K.C.C.	5-4
lost to University	5-4
beat I.R.C.	7½-1½
lost to K.C.C.	2-7

Total 34½-46½

CIVIL SERVICE (9 points)

lost to Recrelo	4-5
beat C.B.A.	7½-1½
lost to C.C.C.	1½-7½
lost to C.R.C. "A"	2½-6½
beat C.R.C. "B"	5½-3½
lost to H.K.C.C.	4-5
beat University	8½-½
beat I.R.C.	9-0
drew with K.C.C.	4½-4½

Total 47-34

ONLY one game remains to be played in the five divisions of the Hong Kong Lawn Tennis League—the "A" Division encounter between South China A.A. and Chinese R.C., the champions.

Had the United Services Recreation Club been able to retain the services of Mrs. N. Wilson, Mrs. J. F. F. Kayll and Mrs. W. E. B. Dowling throughout the season they would probably have won the Dunlop Shield (Mixed Doubles) they secured in 1934. As it was, Mrs. Kayll's departure for home and a subsequent trip North by Mrs. Dowling enabled the holders, Chinese R.C., to retain the trophy by a convincing margin.

In viewing the partnership records it is interesting to note that M. W. Lo and Mrs. Enid Lo-Litton, mixed doubles champions of the Colony in 1928, 1930 and 1932, were an unbeaten combination, despite the fact they played against the U.S.R.C. and K.C.C. "A" teams.

The "B" Division resulted in the Chinese R.C. regaining the title they lost last season to South China, who, as a consequence, were promoted and so did not defend their title. Recrelo were every bit as good as the winners, but struck an off day in their vital match. The disappointing team in this division was Craigengower, who, after their defeat at the hands of a stronger than usual C.R.C. "A" team, just managed to tie with K.C.C. for third place.

There were 52 different partnerships in the Mixed Doubles, made up as follows: U.S.R.C. (9); K.C.C. "A" (7); C.R.C. (10); K.C.C. "B" (17); and Recrelo 9. In the "B" Division there were 114 different combinations, made up as follows: C.R.C. "B" (11); I.R.C. (16); C.B.A. (6); K.C.C. (7); C.C.C. (16); C.R.C. "A" (14); Recrelo (6); University (18); H.K.C.C. (13); and C.S.C.C. (7).

Complete partnership records for the Mixed Doubles and "B" Division are as follows:—

Mixed Doubles

	P.	W.	L.	D.
TSUI YAN-PUY and Miss R. Perry (C.R.C.)	18	15	2	1
L. Goldman and Mrs. Wilson (U.S.R.C.)	17	14	3	0
G. Bodiker and Miss A. Mackenzie (K.C.C. "A")	21	13	6	2
E. C. Fincher and Miss O. Dalziel (K.C.C. "A")	21	13	7	1
W. C. Hung and Mrs. Litton (C.R.C.)	15	11	3	1
E. F. Fincher and Miss M. Griffiths (K.C.C. "A")	18	11	4	3
TSUI WAI-PUY and Mrs. Chiu (C.R.C.)	9	8	1	0
A. L. Sullivan and Mrs. Holmes (U.S.R.C.)	11	7	4	0
A. L. Sullivan and Mrs. Dowling (U.S.R.C.)	12	7	5	0
M. W. Lo and Mrs. Litton (C.R.C.)	6	6	0	0
Capt. Milne and Mrs. Ashton (U.S.R.C.)	11	6	4	1
G. Clark and Mrs. McCaw (K.C.C. "B")	15	6	7	2
A. E. P. Guest and Mrs. Kew (K.C.C. "B")	9	5	2	2
W. C. Hung and Mrs. Chiu (C.R.C.)	6	4	1	1
S. A. Gray and Mrs. McCaw (K.C.C. "B")	6	4	2	0
A. V. Remedios and Miss A. Roza (Recrelo)	23	4	18	1
L. Goldman and Mrs. Kayll (U.S.R.C.)	3	3	0	0
L. Goldman and Mrs. Holmes (U.S.R.C.)	3	3	0	0
W. C. Hung and Miss R. Perry (C.R.C.)	3	3	0	0
A. V. Gosano and Miss C. Botelho (Recrelo)	6	3	2	1
Iu Tak-cheuk and Mrs. Chau (C.R.C.)	3	2	0	1
G. C. Burnett and Miss M. Griffiths (K.C.C. "A")	3	2	1	0
E. C. Fincher and Mrs. Goodwin (K.C.C. "A")	3	2	1	0
Lai Kwong-tsun and Mrs. Chiu (C.R.C.)	3	2	1	0
Iu Tak-cheuk and Mrs. Chiu (C.R.C.)	6	2	2	2
Major Withington and Mrs. Ashton (U.S.R.C.)	6	2	4	0
C. A. Barretto and Miss C. Botelho (Recrelo)	8	2	5	1
C. A. Barretto and Miss A. Remedios (Recrelo)	9	2	7	0
A. V. Gosano and Miss O. Ribeiro (Recrelo)	11	2	7	2
Major Withington and Mrs. Wilson (U.S.R.C.)	3	1	2	0
G. Bodiker and Mrs. McCaw (K.C.C. "A")	3	1	2	0
S. W. Liang and Miss R. Perry (C.R.C.)	3	1	2	0
J. Goncalves and Miss A. Remedios (Recrelo)	3	0	2	1
J. Goncalves and Miss O. Ribeiro (Recrelo)	3	0	2	1
Capt. Milne and Mrs. Holmes (U.S.R.C.)	3	0	3	0
E. F. Fincher and Mrs. McCaw (K.C.C. "A")	3	0	3	0
G. Clark and Mrs. Kew (K.C.C. "B")	3	0	3	0
A. E. P. Guest and Mrs. Hosford (K.C.C. "B")	3	0	3	0
C. E. Watson and Mrs. Stokes (K.C.C. "B")	3	0	3	0
C. E. Watson and Mrs. Blandford (K.C.C. "B")	3	0	3	0
C. E. Watson and Miss A. Mackenzie (K.C.C. "B")	3	0	3	0
S. A. Gray and Mrs. Kew (K.C.C. "B")	3	0	3	0
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N. A. E. Mackay and Mrs. Stokes (K.C.C. "B")	3	0	3	0
G. C. Burnett and Mrs. Stokes (K.C.C. "B")	3	0	3	0
E. Abraham and Mrs. Blandford (K.C.C. "B")	3	0	3	0
J. Goncalves and Miss M. Alves (Recrelo)	3	0	3	0
C. A. Barretto and Miss M. Ribeiro (Recrelo)	3	0	3	0

CHINESE R.C. "B" (6 points)

lost to Recrelo	3-6
rec. w.o. from C.B.A.	9-0
lost to C.C.C.	2½-6½
lost to C.C.C.	3½-5½
gave w.o. C.R.C. "A"	0-9
beat H.K.C.C.	5-4
lost to University	4-5
beat I.R.C.	5-1
lost to K.C.C.	2-7

Total 34-44

HONG KONG C.C. (6 points)

lost to Recrelo	1-8
beat C.B.A.	7-2
lost to C.C.C.	3½-5½
beat C.C.C.	5-4
lost to C.R.C. "A"	2-7
lost to University	3½-5½
lost to C.R.C. "B"	4-5
beat I.R.C.	9-0
lost to K.C.C.	4-5

Total 30-42

CENTRAL BRITISH (0 points)

lost to Recrelo	1-8
lost to C.C.C.	0-9
lost to C.C.C.	1½-7½
lost to C.R.C. "A"	3½-5½
gave w.o. to C.R.C. "B"	0-9
lost to H.K.C.C.	2-7
lost to University	3-6
lost to I.R.C.	1½-7½
lost to K.C.C.	1-8

Total 13½-67½

"B" Division

	P.	W.	L.	D.
J. W. Leonard and Y. Hachiuma (C.C.C.)	21	19	1	1
A. W. Ramsey and G. C. Burnett (K.C.C.)	24	18	2	4
S. A. Gray and A. Crawford (K.C.C.)	21	17	3	1
L. A. Carvalho and M. A. Oliveira (Recrelo)	21	16	5	0
J. J. Remedios and L. F. V. Ribeiro (Recrelo)	21	14	3	4
F. W. Bradley and J. R. Pengelly (C.S.C.C.)	27	13	9	5
C. C. Luk and Iu Tak-lam (C.R.C. "A")	12	10	2	0
J. Rodger and T. C. Monaghan (H.K.C.C.)	12	9	2	1
J. A. Bendall and I. Agafuroff (C.S.C.C.)	15	8	4	3
R. Choa and F. Zimmern (C.C.C.)	21	8	10	3
E. L. H. Shute and I. Agafuroff (C.S.C.C.)	9	7	1	1
W. A. Reed and A. A. Remedios (Recrelo)	12	7	4	1
E. L. H. Shute and R. R. Todd (C.S.C.C.)	15	7	5	3
H. N. Lee and P. C. Lee (University)	15	7	8	0
L. F. Hon and F. K. Lau (C.R.C. "B")	8	6	0	2
H. Hsu and P. P. Kho (University)	9	6	2	1
Ng Kam-chuen and Choy Ping-fan (C.R.C. "A")	9	6	3	0
P. F. Wong and F. K. Lau (C.R.C. "B")	12	6	5	1
W. A. Reed and A. E. Xavier (Recrelo)	12	6	6	0
N. A. E. Mackay and G. Polglase (K.C.C.)	24	6	16	2
Lee Yu-wing and Lau Man-ching (C.R.C. "A")	6	5	0	1
R. R. Todd and J. A. Bendall (C.S.C.C.)	9	5	2	2
P. F. Tsol and Lau Man-kwong (C.R.C. "A")	9	5	3	1
Y. C. Lau and P. K. Liang (University)	9	5	4	0
J. Rodger and B. D. Evans (H.K.C.C.)	12	5	4	3
G. E. R. Divett and T. C. Monaghan (H.K.C.C.)	15	5	9	1
Lee Yu-wing and C. N. Tsang (C.R.C. "A")	6	4	1	1
J. W. Leonard and G. Lal (C.C.C.)	6	4	2	0
Lee Yu-wing and Leung Ping-chiu (C.R.C. "A")	6	4	2	0
M. R. Abbas and M. el Arculli (I.R.C.)	8	4	4	0
W. K. Cheung and M. K. Tam (C.R.C. "B")	11	4	5	2
B. I. Bickford and F. D. Angus (C.B.A.)	12	3	6	3
J. M. Wilson and J. J. Ferguson (C.B.A.)	12	3	8	1
C. E. Watson and A. Crawford (K.C.C.)	3	3	0	0
W. J. Howard and A. Kitchell (C.C.C.)	3	3	0	0
Choy Ping-fan and Lau Chau-kwong (C.R.C. "A")	3	3	0	0
Luk Ding-cheung and Leung Ping-chui (C.R.C. "A")	3	3	0	0
J. J. Remedios and A. E. Xavier (Recrelo)	3	3	0	0
Leung Man-chung and P. C. Leung (C.R.C. "A")	3	3	0	0
J. L. Tin and M. C. Hung (University)	3	3	0	0
Ng Kam-chuen and Tsang Chung-nim (C.R.C. "A")	3	3	0	0
G. E. R. Divett and B. O. Deane (H.K.C.C.)	3	3	0	0
W. M. Barton and G. S. Gamble (H.K.C.C.)	3	3	0	0
B. O. Deane and G. S. Gamble (H.K.C.C.)	12	3	7	2
G. Lal and A. B. Hamson (C.C.C.)	3	2	0	1
A. B. Hamson and A. Kitchell (C.C.C.)	3	2	0	1
J. Hsu and K. T. Kwik (University)	3	2	0	1
A. M. Rumjahn and A. R. Sufiad (I.R.C.)	3	2	1	0
L. Choa and G. Lal (C.C.C.)	3	2	1	0
Wong Shiu-wing and Luk Chun-cheung (C.R.C. "A")	3	2	1	0
Iu Tak-lam and P. C. Leung (C.R.C. "A")	3	2	1	0
K. L. Chan and M. C. Hung (University)	3	2	1	0
V. R. Gordon and B. O. Deane (H.K.C.C.)	3	2	1	0
E. Zimmern and W. J. Howard (C.C.C.)	6	2	2	2
Y. C. Lau and P. P. Kho (University)	6	2	4	0
S. A. R. Bux and A. R. Kitchell (I.R.C.)	8	2	5	1
R. Blyth and N. Whitley (C.B.A.)	24	2	20	2
A. H. Rumjahn and A. R. Sufiad (I.R.C.)	2	1	1	0
W. M. Barton and A. S. Read (H.K.C.C.)	3	1	0	2
Tsang Chung-nim and Tso Chung-yan (C.R.C. "A")	3	1	1	1
L. A. Carvalho and B. T. Gosano (Recrelo)	3	1	1	1
Y. C. Lau and Y. L. Pao (University)	3	1	1	1
W. K. Cheung and Tso (C.R.C. "B")	3	1	1	1
V. R. Gordon and A. C. I. Bowker (H.K.C.C.)	6	1	2	3
P. C. Lee and P. P. Kho (University)	3	1	2	0
Y. C. Lau and H. Hsu (University)	3	1	2	0
Y. C. Lau and K. C. Cheng (University)	3	1	2	0
J. Rodger and A. C. I. Bowker (H.K.C.C.)	3	1	2	0
L. F. Hon and C. N. Tsang (C.R.C. "B")	3	1	2	0
W. K. Cheung and C. N. Tsang (C.R.C. "B")	3	1	2	0
S. A. R. Bux and F. Ram (I.R.C.)	3	1	2	0
P. F. Wong and M. K. Tam (C.R.C. "B")	3	1	2	0
S. A. R. Bux and M. I. Razack (I.R.C.)	3	1	2	0
D. Smith and J. J. Ferguson (C.B.A.)	3	1	2	0
N. A. E. Mackay and L. Jack (K.C.C.)	3	1	2	0
C. E. Watson and G. C. Burnett (K.C.C.)	3	1	2	0
G. Lal and W. J. Howard (C.C.C.)	3	1	2	0
F. Zimmern and A. B. Hamson (C.C.C.)	3	1	2	0
Lee Pak-lam and S. W. Liang (C.R.C. "A")	3	1	2	0
H. P. Chan and P. F. Wong (C.R.C. "B")	5	1	4	0
F. D. Pereira and Y. el Arculli (I.R.C.)	6	1	5	0
A. M. Rumjahn and A. Baker (I.R.C.)	6	1	5	0
F. D. Angus and J. J. Ferguson (C.B.A.)	9	1	7	1
K. S. Cheng and H. P. Ong (University)	3	0	1	2
Au King and W. P. Leung (C.R.C. "B")	6	0	4	2
J. Hsu and H. Pong (University)	3	0	2	1
P. C. Lee and Y. N. Tang (University)	3	0	2	1
A. R. Kitchell and A. Rahmin (I.R.C.)	3	0	2	1
W. J. Howard and H. N. Cheung (C.C.C.)	3	0	2	1
Y. C. Lau and K. T. Kwik (University)	3	0	3	0
J. Hsu and S. Ling (University)	3	0	3	0
P. P. Kho and K. L. Chan (University)	3	0	3	0
J. Hsu and P. P. Kho (University)	3	0	3	0
H. D. Bldwell and A. T. Dow (H.K.C.C.)	3	0	3	0
K. M. Mackenzie and B. O. Deane (H.K.C.C.)	3	0	3	0
V. R. Gordon and W. M. Barton (H.K.C.C.)	3	0	3	0
J. A. Bendall and J. Faro (C.S.C.C.)	3	0	3	0
I. and B. Agafuroff (C.S.C.C.)	3	0	3	0
W. K. Cheung and H. P. Chan (C.R.C. "B")	3	0	3	0
H. P. Chan and Au King (C.R.C. "B")	3	0	3	0
M. el Arculli and A. R. Kitchell (I.R.C.)	3	0	3	0
S. A. R. Bux and Y. A. Razack (I.R.C.)	3	0	3	0
M. Hassan and A. Rahmin (I.R.C.)	3	0	3	0
A. A. Aziz and A. J. Sufiad (I.R.C.)	3	0	3	0
A. R. Kitchell and M. U. Razack (I.R.C.)	3	0	3	0
A. Crawford and A. G. Phillips (K.C.C.)	3	0	3	0
Y. Hachiuma and W. J. Howard (C.C.C.)	3	0	3	0
J. Lawrence and W. J. Howard (C.C.C.)	3	0	3	0
A. M. Rumjahn and A. R. Kitchell (I.R.C.)	6	0	6	0
S. A. R. Bux and M. U. Razack (I.R.C.)	6	0	6	0
J. M. Wilson and B. I. Bickford (C.B.A.)	12	0	12	0



"Seven charming sisters" seems an appropriate title for this photograph of the seven daughters of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Wong. (King's Studio).



Miss Alicia Guterres, the charming daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Guterres. (D'Asia Studio).

Mr. and Mrs. David C. Wilson, who left for home last Friday, celebrated the tenth anniversary of their wedding in Hong Kong last Saturday.

Mrs. G. Clegg-Hill, who has not been very well during the last two weeks, has been spending a holiday at the Peak as the guest of Capt. and Mrs. Kenyon.

PERSONALIA.

Mr. George Potts, chairman of the Hong Kong Stock Exchange, is back in the Colony again, after a very nice holiday in Canada. Mr. Potts went away following a break-down in health, but he is looking very much better now and is perfectly fit again.

Mr. J. L. Halsey, of the Hong Kong Branch, Asiatic Petroleum Company, and Mr. and Mrs. L. M. S. Lloyd, are due to leave the Colony by the s.s. Ranpura on October 3, for England, where they will spend their leave. Mr. Lloyd, who is in the Foochow office of the A.P.C., is a very well-known figure in Hong Kong, having been in the local office for years.

Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Boursfield, who were originally expected back in the Colony on October 9, will now not return on that date, it is learned. They are stopping over in Shanghai for some time on the way back here from leave, and no date has been mentioned yet as to when they will arrive here.

Mr. G. W. Read, of the Canton Installation staff of the Asiatic Petroleum Company, is due to leave the Colony by the s.s. President Jefferson on October 24. He is proceeding to England on leave and is making the trip via America.

Mr. M. E. Purvis celebrated his birthday last Wednesday, when Mr. M. R. Abbas also had his anniversary. Mr. Stewart Hope, Mr. D. Tolan and Mr. F. K. Delgado had their birthdays last Friday.

Lieut. J. M. Rice-Evans, Royal Welch Fusiliers, who has been taking a machine-gun course in England, is expected to return to the Colony some time next month. He will be accompanied by Mrs. Rice-Evans, the well-known tennis player.



Mr. and Mrs. Paul T. White photographed at a picnic in the New Territories. (King's Studio).

Mr. Felix Ellis, who is a member of the local sharebrokers' firm of Messrs. Ellis and Edgar, and who has been in Manila for the past few months, was in the Colony for a few days during the week, but he has since left for the Philippines again.

It was not generally known that Mr. Wang Ching-wei, the well-known Chinese politician, visited Hong Kong during the week. Together with his staff, Mr. Wang stayed at the Gloucester Hotel. They will be leaving almost immediately for the North.

Messrs. Thomson and Company, Chartered Accountants, will shortly be losing the services of Mr. Laurence Hinds, who has been compelled to resign owing to ill-health. He intends travelling home via Japan, Honolulu and Panama, as part of his rest cure.

His many friends in Hong Kong will be interested to learn that Mr. W. Lawson (Bill) Butt left the Colony for Nanking yesterday. He will be married to Miss Dorothy Packwood up North, after which they will be leaving for South Africa, where they intend settling down.

South Africa appears to be the most popular place for local residents to go to these days, for we understand that Mrs. Marshall, of the Royal Court Hotel, Kowloon, will be leaving for there in the very near future, in the company of her daughter.

An interesting visitor to the Colony at the moment is Miss Peggy Cooke, who arrived here during the week and who registered at the Gloucester Hotel. Miss Cooke flew from Shanghai to Canton and did the trip down here from the latter port by boat. She will be here, it is understood, for some time.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. S. Eccleshall will be interested to learn that they are having a very enjoyable holiday in their native Edinburgh. They have been away for some months now and are due to return here towards the beginning of the New Year.



Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Perdue are here seen chatting with Mr. W. P. Thompson, A.S.P., and Mr. A. R. S. Major, with back to the camera, at the Peak Church last Saturday before Mr. Thompson was married to his charming New Zealand bride, Miss Norah Haggitt. Mr. W. le Bart Sparrow, is seen in the background. (Right) Mrs. Keen, Mr. Kenneth Keen and Mr. A. R. S. Major, who was the best man, photographed after the Peak Church wedding last Saturday, when Miss Norah Haggitt became the bride of Mr. W. P. Thompson, A.S.P. (King's Studio).

BIRTHDAY honours this week go to Messrs. S. Duncan and G. W. Bowden, who have their anniversaries today. Yesterday, Mr. J. T. Bagram, the Consul-General for Siam, was the recipient of the congratulations of his many friends on the occasion of his birthday.

Mrs. L. A. R. Duncan is due to arrive in the Colony next Wednesday by the s.s. Corfu. She is returning from England where she had been holidaying. We understand she will be going to Foochow almost immediately to join her husband, who is with the Asiatic Petroleum Company branch office there.

We understand that Mr. J. H. Gelling, secretary of the Government Medical Department, is contemplating going to Japan for a holiday, accompanied by Mrs. Gelling. There is a possibility that Mr. John Wattle, of the Colonial Secretariat, will also make the trip.

Mrs. Wallington, wife of Mr. H. G. Wallington of the Education Department, will be leaving for England towards the end of December. She will join her son Guy, who is at school in England, and will probably stay there for about two years before coming out here again.

The many friends in the Colony of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. McAvoy will be interested to learn that they are soon returning from England and are due here by the s.s. Potsdam on October 6. They have been away on leave and, from all accounts, appear to be having an excellent holiday.

Miss Wong Ying, Anna May's charming sister, was hostess at an enjoyable dinner at the Kam Lung Restaurant last week, the guests being Mr. Josef von Sternberg, the famous film director, Dr. Karl Vollmuelles, a noted German author, the Misses Helen and Doris Kotewall, Mr. Li Chor Chi and Mr. E. Beatham.



Miss Peggy Eccleshall, who is at home on a holiday with her parents, is seen in the above picture "in a corner of the garden."



Mr. and Mrs. T. Murphy (foreground), together with Mr. and Mrs. Peter Grant and Mrs. J. Murphy, were among the many who attended the reception, held at the Hon. Mr. T. H. King's residence last Saturday, following the wedding of Mr. W. P. Thompson, A.S.P., and Miss Norah Graham Haggitt at the Peak Church. (King's Studio).



Shirley Gwyneth, daughter of Captain and Mrs. H. H. Fantham, will celebrate her first birthday on Friday next.

Another very popular couple due to return from leave shortly are Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Keogh, who will be returning by the R.M.S. Empress of Japan, which is due here on October 9.

Wing Commander A. G. Bishop, together with Mrs. Bishop, returned to the Colony last week after a very pleasant holiday in the Cameron Highlands, Malaya. They are both looking very well, and are very enthusiastic about their holiday.

Mr. H. J. Hedley, of the Royal Army Service Corps, Tientsin, who had been in the Colony for some time, having brought two patients down here from Tientsin, returned to the Northern port last Friday.

The popular assistant accountant of the Hong Kong and China Gas Company, Ltd., Mr. F. L. Rapley, celebrated his birthday last Monday, and on Tuesday Mr. J. S. Beach, the local lawn bowler, and Mr. Harry Oro, the well-known pianist, had their sang yats.

The many friends of Mr. R. I. Cherrill, of the Asiatic Petroleum Company, will be glad to hear that he is back in the Colony again. He had been away to Manila and there was a rumour, at one time, that he would be transferred from the local offices.

LITTLE NOTES of Great Importance



Dresses to talk about... that's what DOLLY VARDEN'S offering for Autumn. It's good to talk of them; there was one—a black crepe with four diamante keys hanging at the neck and four little key-holes on the pockets—a real beauty! Then they have in their new woollen frocks, tunics with the new padded shoulders and in all the popular shades. They're honeys, too... in styles for young girls... women, and you who have trouble finding larger sizes won't any more. You'll find all you could possibly want at DOLLY VARDEN'S—the name of authority among stylish women.



One of the pleasures first on my list is a weekly visit to BREWERS BOOKSHOP; they are sure to have in a host of new books. This week there were so many I had to close my eyes and pick the ones I should tell you about. First there was a "Portrait of T. E. Lawrence" by Vyvyan Richards, who knew Lawrence intimately in his Oxford days. He brings a personal, sensitive touch to this study of his friend. Then Ernest Hemingway's new book, "Green Hills of Africa," telling of a big-game hunting expedition in Tanganyika and bringing living pictures to those who have not known Africa. Also Gilbert Frankau's important new novel.



PAUL RENNET'S know all there is to know about style—you'll believe me when you see their new hats! There's an amazing selection: this one swoops down over the eye with a feathery pompon spurring up behind like a fountain of spray, that one boasts a gay, sky-reaching quill that goes shooting back over the crown, another reaches new heights in its peaked crown, and still another flaunts bird's wings in a riot of flaming reds and parrot green colours. You'll find them the choice of the discriminating woman—and the woman who understands as well how to consider her budget.



Do you drive around town in a horse and buggy? Do you read by candle light and wear red flannel petticoats? No, you don't... because you are an up-to-date, modern woman! And as a modern woman you will be interested to hear that the GRAND DISPENSARY announces the arrival of new stocks of Autumn toiletries and perfumes. Among other things there is a large and complete stock of "LUCK-BONCILLA" preparations and as a modern woman, or if even slightly old-fashioned, blond or brunette, you have to go to make an inspection. There are things to suit every taste and personality.



Is it true that NOXEMA is made of pure gold? No my dear, that is just the exaggeration of some NOXEMA enthusiasts. But it is worth its weight in pure gold. Try it if you have never used it before and you will soon be one of the chorus... singing the praise of NOXEMA. And you don't need to sing in the rain, but in full sunshine—with NOXEMA you have nothing to fear from sunburn. And it has a lot of other uses too. From all the leading Dispensaries. Sole Distributors: United Traders, Pedder Bldg.

LITTLE NOTES of Great Importance



Clothes that have all the lovely "little touches" about them... and clothes which are individualised to the point of chic... those are the kind you will see at MAIZEE'S! Of course you will see them... I can't imagine any woman in town ever missing a new shipment of MAIZEE'S. The last shipment of Autumn frocks is a real knockout! Their ensembles are certainly the smartest I've seen, their costumes are the kind you know you must have in your autumn and winter wardrobe is to be complete... and their evening frocks and coats are simply brilliant.



Baby still crying?... And the whole family trying desperately to pacify him... rubber balls... Mickey Mouse... rag dolls... nothing pleases him to-day. Maybe it is not all just "temper"? You know, Baby's digestive system is very delicate and susceptible to disorders. Indigestion, griping, flatulence, acidity, wind, vomiting and hiccoughs are common things with babies. A dose of WATSON'S BABY WATER will give immediate relief and bring back Baby's smile. And only for twenty-five cents!



The perfect shoe is hard to find, especially now that fashion brings shorter skirts and attention, once more, is focussed on the ankles. I advise you to begin your search at LANE, CRAWFORD'S—and you probably won't have to go further. You will find their shoes distinctive in design and trimming, shoes which combine beauty and comfort. And—they have them in every fitting. There are some lovely models in the new shades, carrot and bronze. Don't they sound good? And suede walking shoes with rubber soles—you've never seen smarter.



Now is the time to get a radio... Cool weather, when radio reception is at its best, is coming... And that means a lot with a Zenith 1937 model. But the INTERNATIONAL RADIO SALES AND SERVICE, 27 Hankow Road, Kowloon, can give you a lot more than just a fine set. They have fully qualified British mechanics who will give that careful and expert service which a good radio needs and deserves. Alas, the space is short... but: if you want to know of the wonders these people can do, write, give a ring, or just whistle to your faithful shophound.



Your husband growling about the eternal marmalade on the breakfast table? Or the same old jams in the tarts? Let him try EMA fruit butters—an improvement on jams. And I guarantee that the family peace will be restored. EMA fruit butters, jellies, jams, and marmalades, are packed in attractive glass jars, free from "metal-flavour." They are particularly suitable for cakes, tarts, waffles, etc. And they are in the greatest variety, to name a few: Pear, Apple, Lemon, Apricot, Crab Apple, Fig, Pine-apple, Peach. Obtainable at all leading compradores and provisions.

STRATHROY BURNS UP TRACK FOR NEW FIVE FURLONGS RECORD

Three Three-Figure Dividends

BIGGEST "DOUBLE" OF THE YEAR

MR. BLACK HAS THREE WINNERS

PERFECT CONDITIONS FAVOUR RESUMPTION OF RACING

BRILLIANT sunshine favoured the opening of the second half of the 1936 Racing Season yesterday at the Valley and as a result there was a very fair crowd in attendance.

One record was shattered on a perfect track, Mr. J. F. Macgregor's Strathroy (Mr. Black) clipping one-fifth of a second off Able Amazon's 1935 mark for five furlongs; three three-figure dividends — by The Gorilla, Harvest View and The Hero — were returned in addition to several other useful returns; the 1936 "Daily Double" record was shattered, The Gorilla and Ythan combining to pay \$733.70, as against the previous best of \$321.50 (Strathroy and Wild Cat); Mr. Leo Frost returned to the track after an absence dating back to February 29 and took the opportunity to chalk up two more wins; Mr. J. J. Palmer, who raced here several years ago, and Mr. H. M. Pih made their 1936 debut, both securing a third place, the former on his own pony; and, above all, nearly all entries accepted. In short, it was a perfect afternoon's sport.

Mr. Donald Black, who only recently arrived back in the Colony from a brief holiday in Japan, registered three wins as the result of his three rides to carry off the jockey honours, while Mr. L. Dunbar and Mr. Ian shared the honours among the owners with a win and a second each.

There was a very fair crowd present for the Big Wave Bay Handicap, which saw five grey ponies face the starter, Gladsthor, Honeymoon Eve and Royal Scot not accepting.

When the gate went up the two Dunbar candidates were out like rockets with Diana Bay having a head advantage, Soldier of Britain was a length behind, and Cossack's Beauty and King's Warden, both of which were left standing at the start, brought up the rear. At the Rock the position was unchanged, although King's Warden had caught up slightly, though it was still some four lengths in arrears of Soldier of Britain.

Oak Bay took the lead on the corner, but at the stands Soldier of Britain, the favourite, came through with effortless ease to win by 2½ lengths in the fast time of 1.25.2 — a fifth of a second outside Apollo's long-standing record. Oak Bay was second, two lengths ahead of King's Warden, while Diana Bay and Cossack's Beauty came fourth and fifth.

Had King's Warden got away to a better start it would probably have caused a big upset in the betting. As it was Soldier of Britain paid only \$9.60 for a win.

Harvest View Pays \$112.50. All 15 entries accepted for the Island Bay Handicap and Harvest View, which drew No. 4 position, created a sensation by winning by half a length from Royal Consort, the favourite, to pay a win dividend of \$112.50 and a place dividend of \$25.90. It led from start to finish, but would have been beaten over another ten yards. King's Sceptre filled third position.

Boat Bay, third favourite, and Laughing Girl were both favoured with good starts, but both disappointed. King's Bounty finished fourth after a

"DAILY DOUBLE" STATISTICS

The Gorilla And Ythan Pay \$733.70 Dividend

The following shows how the betting went in the "Daily Double":

1st Leg—Diogenes (0), Foxbridge (8), Gold Sovereign (3), Mountain View (0), Night View (124), Pride of Tsingtao (117), Racing Boy (4), 17th of September (62), Sylvandale (209), The Gorilla (27), Wadebridge (45), Young Chap (1) and Zero (7).

2nd Leg—Amberley (8), Don (0), Donovan (0), Flybynight (1), High Honour (2), Rose Evelyn (0), Rousseau (3), Royal Highness (0), Tyne (3), Valorous (2), What A Chance (0) and Ythan (4).

The combination of The Gorilla and Ythan paid \$733.70 to each of four backers.

The Gorilla Surprises

Messrs. Tester and Abraham's The Gorilla exceeded even the wildest hopes of its owners when it came home first by a length in the Junk Bay Handicap to pay its 66 supporters \$108.50 for a win. Producing a powerful finishing burst, it came up right from the rear to win with ease.

Night View, after raising great hopes as the result of its challenge after passing the Rock, secured second place by half a length ahead of Seventeenth of September, while Wadebridge, which had acted as pace-maker, was fourth. The hot favourite Sylvandale badly disappointed over the last quarter and finished nowhere.

Ranger Pays \$59.10

Ranger won the Vauluse Handicap by half a length from Violet Queen, the second favourite, which offered a spirited challenge in the home straight. Honey was first away from the gate, but Ranger was in the lead at the Rock and this advantage was responsible for its win, which paid the surprisingly good dividend of \$59.10. Centre Court was third, while the greatly fancied Atlas finished nowhere.

Rose Evelyn Does Well

Royal Highness got away to a good start in the Island Bay Handicap, but blew up at the Rock, where Ythan came to the fore, leading into the home stretch. Amberley, the favourite, then challenged, but was beaten by a length. Rose Evelyn, the best 1936 sub, did well to secure third place from Tyne, Mr. Grayburn's second string.

The Half-Mile Scramble

Leading from start to finish, Shamrock won the Clear Water Bay Handicap by a head from Laughing Buddha, a hot favourite, to give Mr. Black his third win and riding honours for the afternoon. Judea got away well from the start but

HOW JOCKEYS FARED

The following shows how the jockeys fared yesterday:

Jockey	1	2	3	Un.
D. Black	2	0	0	0
H. C. Pih	2	1	0	5
L. G. Frost	2	0	0	4
N. Deltz	1	2	3	2
S. Y. Liang	1	1	0	1
W. H. S. Davis	0	1	0	3
G. U. da Roza	0	1	1	4
S. C. Liang	0	1	1	4
E. O. Butler	0	0	1	0
J. J. Palmer	0	0	1	2
H. A. Proulx	0	0	1	2
H. M. Pih	0	0	1	5
C. F. Chiu	0	0	1	1
G. P. Ferguson	0	0	1	1
K. I. Ip	0	0	1	1
H. V. Pearce	0	0	1	1
H. A. Brown	0	0	1	1
Choy Wing-chiu	0	0	2	2
G. A. Harriman	0	0	2	3
W. H. Choy	0	0	3	3
H. A. de B. Botelho	0	0	3	3
I. C. Harris	0	0	4	4
W. G. Poy	0	0	4	4
R. M. Wood	0	0	5	5
P. P. Botelho	0	0	5	5
Ip Kul-ying	0	0	5	7
Totals	9	9	9	71

was outclassed, Heriot, ridden by Mr. J. J. Palmer (who used to race here several years ago) coming third and Emergency Call fourth.

Shamrock's time of 59 seconds equalled the track record established by both Buchanan and Much Ado, but it was out at 15lbs. below weight for inches and so the time will not be officially recognised. Punters, however, were very satisfied with the \$65.30 win dividend.

Old Star, a well-fancied pony, looked short of a gallop.

The Hero Just Does It. The Hero and Gold Coin ran a two-pony race in the Junk Bay Handicap, The Hero, which led throughout, never being more than a length ahead at any stage of the race. Its win was the third big surprise of the day and paid \$100.30 and \$33.20. Double Chance took third place and Valley View was fourth. The well-fancied Stopwatch and Burgomaster were never in the picture.

1-2.00 P.M.—Big Wave Bay Handicap—Winner \$650. Second \$250. Third \$150. For China Ponies, "A" Class. Winners of \$5,000 or more in stakes since 1st January, 1936, barred. Jockey Allowance. Entrance \$5. Six Furlongs. Li Shu Fang's Soldier of Britain 151 lb. (Mr. H. C. Pih) 1

L. Dunbar's Oak Bay 147 lb. (Mr. W. H. S. Davis) 2

Dynasty's King's Warden 168 lb. (Mr. G. U. da Roza) 3

Also ran: Cossack's Beauty, 149 lb. (Mr. W. H. Choy); and Diana Bay, 165 lb. (Mr. L. G. Frost).

5 starters. Won by 2½ lengths and 2 lengths. Time: 1.25.2.

Parimutuel, winner \$9.60; places, 1st \$9.00; 2nd \$18.10.

2-2.30 P.M.—Island Bay Handicap—First Section—Winner \$450. Second \$200. Third \$100. For China Ponies, "C" Class. Jockey Allowance. Entrance \$5. Six Furlongs.

Dr. S. N. Chau's Derby Day 150 lb. (Mr. S. C. Liang) 3

Also ran: Australian Boy, 140 lb. (Mr. E. O. Butler); Bobniak Star, 136 lb. (Mr. Ip Kul-ying); Double Finesse, 143 lb. (Mr. H. M. Pih); Lancashire Lad, 135 lb. (Mr. W. G. Poy); Saucy Face, 137 lb. (Mr. H. C. Pih); and Vixen Tor, 147 lb. (Mr. B. A. Proulx).

9 starters. Won by 2 lengths, 2 lengths. Time: 1.02.2 (record).

Parimutuel, winner \$14.40; places, 1st \$6.00 2nd \$6.50; 3rd \$6.10.

4-3.30 P.M.—Tweed Island Bay Handicap—Winner \$500. Second \$225. Third \$125. For China Ponies, "B" Class. Jockey Allowance. Entrance \$5. One Mile.

L. Dunbar's Mistake Bay 156 lb. (Mr. L. G. Frost) 1

Mrs. Dunbar's Bear Claw 152 lb. (Mr. W. H. S. Davis) 2

Eu Tong Sen's Rose-Queen 157 lb. (Mr. N. Deltz) 3

Also ran: Cyclamen Bay, 160 lb. (Mr. G. A. Harriman); King's Fancy, 147 lb. (Mr. H. C. Pih); King's Jubilee, 141 lb. (Mr. Ip Kul-ying); King's Justice, 161 lb. (Mr. E. O. Butler); King's Lead, 155 lb. (Mr. G. U. da Roza); and Sadko, 158 lb. (Mr. P. P. Botelho).

9 starters. Won by ½ length, a neck. Time: 1.59.0.

Parimutuel, winner \$18.40; places, 1st \$7.10; 2nd \$8.00; 3rd \$12.10.

5-4.00 P.M.—Junk Bay Handicap—First Section—Winner \$400. Second \$175. Third \$100. For China Ponies, "D" Class. Jockey Allowance. Entrance \$5. One Mile.

Tester & Abraham's The Gorilla 141 lb. (Mr. H. C. Pih) 1

Also ran: The Hero, 147 lb. (Mr. H. C. Pih) 2

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"A LITTLE BIT ON"

TOGETHER WITH THE REST OF THE COLONY'S IDLE RICH WE HAVE BEEN GREATLY LOOKING FORWARD TO YESTERDAY'S RESUMPTION OF RACING.

THE PONIES ARE NATURALLY LOOKING FORWARD TO RESUMING.

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STRAIGHT LEGS.



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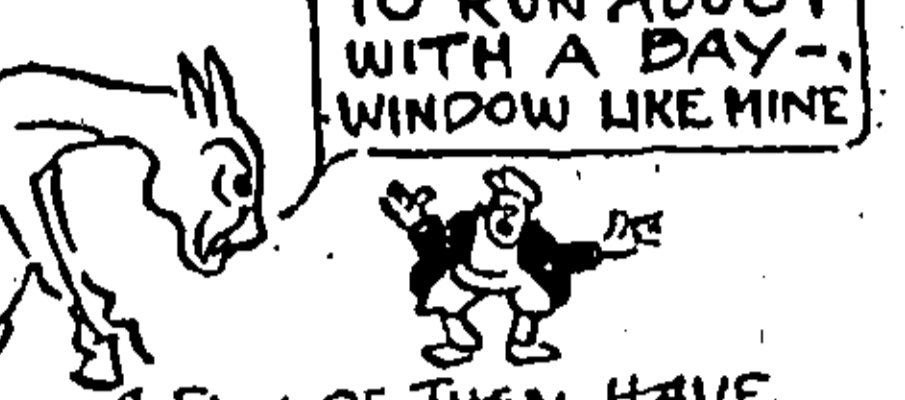
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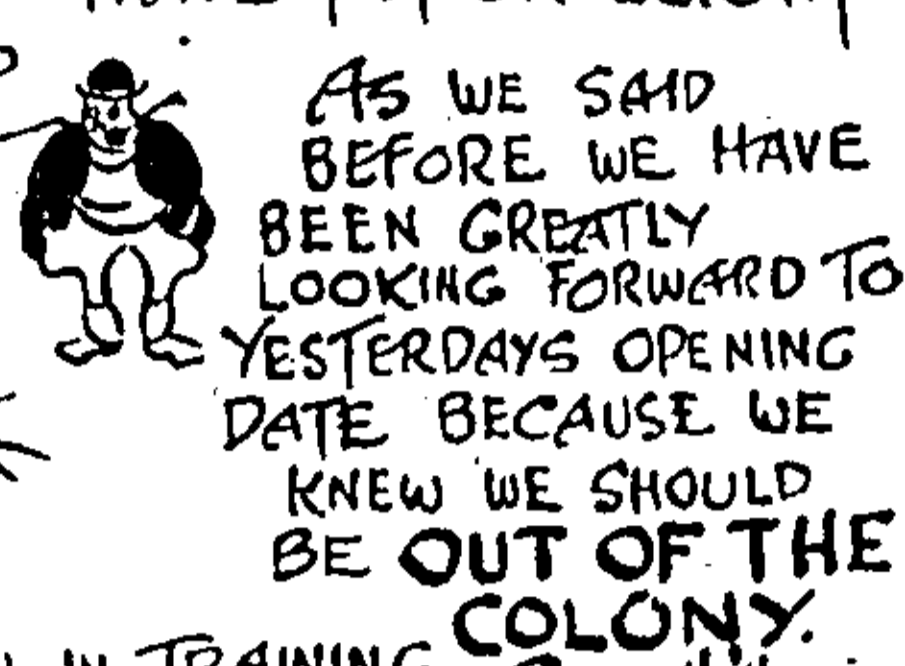
AND ARE NOW IN TRAINING GETTING BACK TO BOW



SOME OF COURSE HAVE HAD NIGHT-MARES



A FEW OF THEM HAVE BEEN HITTING IT UP WITH BRAN-MASH PARTIES AND HAVE PUT ON WEIGHT



AS WE SAID BEFORE WE HAVE BEEN GREATLY LOOKING FORWARD TO YESTERDAY'S OPENING DATE BECAUSE WE KNEW WE SHOULD BE OUT OF THE COLONY.

Stanhill 1936.

Lan's Harvest View 158 lb. (Mr. S. Y. Liang) 2

Harbrad's Royal Consort 149 lb. (Mr. E. O. Butler) 2

Dynasty's Kings Sceptre 151 lb. (Mr. G. U. da Roza) 3

Also ran: Blister, 142 lb. (Mr. Choy Wing-chiu); Boat Bay, 156 lb. (Mr. L. G. Frost); Bright View, 168 lb. (Mr. Ip Kul-ying); Great Hall, 149 lb. (Mr. H. A. de B. Botelho); King's Bounty, 156 lb. (Mr. H. M. Pih); Laughing Girl, 148 lb. (Mr. N. Deltz); Mayflower, 141 lb. (Mr. C. F. Chiu); Monoplane, 153 lb. (Mr. S. C. Liang); Pontine Bay, 158 lb. (Mr. W. H. S. Davis); Ribble, 156 lb. (Mr. P. P. Botelho); Soldier of China, 163 lb. (Mr. W. H. Choy); and Soldier of Peace, 158 lb. (Mr. H. C. Pih).

15 starters. Won by ½ length, ½ length. Time: 1.28.0.

Parimutuel, winner \$112.50; places, 1st \$25.90; 2nd \$11.10; 3rd \$9.80.

3-3.00 P.M.—Corroborree Handicap—Winner \$450. Second \$250. Third \$150. For Australian Ponies, "A" Class. Jockey Allowance. Entrance \$5. Five Furlongs.

J. F. Macgregor's Strathroy 156 lb. (Mr. D. Black) 1

J. E. D.'s Electron 145 lb. (Mr. N. Deltz) 2

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12 starters. Won by half a length, a neck. Time: 1.03.3.

Parimutuel, winner \$59.10; places, 1st \$12.10; 2nd \$7.00; 3rd \$3.90.

7-5.00 P.M.—Island Bay Handicap—Second Section—Winner \$450. Second \$200. Third \$100. For China Ponies, "C" Class. Jockey Allowance. Entrance \$5. Six Furlongs.

V. M. Grayburn's Ythan 158 lb. (Mr. L. G. Frost) 1

C. B. Brown's Amberley 158 lb. (Mr. H. C. Pih) 2

Eu Tong Sen's Rose Evelyn 158 lb. (Mr. N. Deltz) 3

Also ran: Don, 140 lb. (Mr. H. A. de B. Botelho); Donovan, 147 lb. (Mr. W. G. Poy); Flybynight, 145 lb. (Mr. I. C. Harris); High Honour, 154 lb. (Mr. G. U. da Roza); Rousseau, 148 lb. (Mr. R. M. Wood); Royal Highness, 163 lb. (Mr. G. A. Harriman); Tyne, 161 lb. (Mr. P. P. Botelho); and What A Chance, 161 lb. (Mr. S. C. Liang).

12 starters. Won by a length, ½ length. Time: 1.23.3.

Parimutuel, winner \$30.00; places, 1st \$8.40; 2nd \$7.30; 3rd \$7.90.

8-5.30 P.M.—Clear Water Bay Handicap—Winner \$400. Second \$175. Third \$100. For China Ponies, "E" Class, and Subscription Grifflins of this Club of this Season that have not won a race at Race Meetings of this Club. Jockey Allowance. Entrance \$5. Half a Mile.

J. B. Macdonald's Shamrock 140 lb. (Mr. D. Black) 1

Sunshine's Laughing Buddha 168 lb. (Mr. N. Deltz) 2

J. J. Palmer's Heriot 144 lb. (Mr. J. J. Palmer) 3

Also ran: The Hero, 147 lb. (Mr. H. C. Pih) 2

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Local Share Market

YESTERDAY'S QUOTATIONS

The following was the list of
local share quotations issued
yesterday.

Banks

H.K. Bank \$1610 b.

H.K. (Lon. Red.) £102 n.

Chartered Bank \$15½ n.

Mercantile Bank A. and B.
£31¼ n.

Mercantile Bank C. £14½ n.

Bank of East Asia \$30 b.

Insurance

Canton Ins. \$270 n.

Union Ins. \$580 b.

China Underwriters \$1 n.

China Fire Ins. \$402 n.

H.K. Fire Ins. \$255 n.

International Asse. Sa. \$3¼ n.

Shipping

Douglases \$30 n.

H.K. Steamboats \$4 n.

Indo-Chinas (Pref.) \$30 n.

Indo-Chinas (Def.) \$20 n.

Shells (Bearer) 110/-n.

Union Waterboats \$12 n.

H.K. and K. Wharves \$115 b.

115 sa.

H.K. and W. Docks \$13½ b.

Providents (Old) \$2.20 sa.

Providents (New) 20 cts. n.

Hong Kew \$185 n.

New Engineering Sh. \$4 n.

Shanghai Docks Sh. \$31½ n.

Mining

Kilan Mining Ad. 10/6 n.

Langkats (Single) Sh. \$3½ n.

Shai Exploration Sh. \$2 n.

Shanghai Loans Sh. \$2 n.

Raub \$11.35 b.

Venz: Goldfield \$4¼ n.

Antamoks \$5½ n.

Atoks \$1.17 n.

Bagulo Gold 60 cts. n.

Balates \$23 n.

Benguet Consol. \$28 n.

Benguet Exploration 43 cts. b.

Big Wedge 80 cts. n.

Consolidated Mines 10½ cts. b.

10½/10½ cts. sa.

Demonstration \$1.45 b. \$1.44/-

47 sa.

Gold Creeks 50 cts. n.

Gold River 12 cts. n.

Ino Gold 40 cts. n.

I.X.L. \$3.05 n.

Ixtonga \$3.15 x div. n.

Mambulo 70 cts. n.

Masbate \$1 b.

Northern Mining 53 cts. n.

Paracale Gumau \$1.10 n.

Salacot 20 cts. n.

San Mauricio \$4.45 b. \$4.44/½

sa.

Santa Rosa 17 cts. n.

Suyoc Consol \$1.13 sa.

United Paracale \$2.92 b.

\$2.90/95 sa.

Lands, Hotels, etc.

H.K. and S. Hotels \$5.20 s.

H.K. Lands \$41 n.

Messrs. Harriman's
Weekly ReportMessrs. G. A. Harriman & Co.'s
weekly share report and market
review, issued at noon yesterday
states:—The week opened with brisk trad-
ing in local shares, but the Manila
market became easier, over Tues-
day and Wednesday, and this de-
clining tendency coupled with rum-
ours of Sino-Japanese trouble in
Shanghai brought out a few sellerson Friday so that closing quotat-
ions of both mining shares and
local descriptions are in some cases
slightly below last week's best.However, an all round improve-
ment subsequently set in on Fri-
day afternoon and Saturday morn-
ing and the end-week close is again
very firm, with confidence fully re-
stored. China Lights are below
best at \$15.25 after large transac-
tions up to \$15.75 cash & \$16.50December, but the Hong Kong Elec-
tric quotation is maintained at
\$55 to \$55.25. Telephone (old)
were bought up to \$31 and the
New shares to \$12.10. Trams have
had small declines between \$12.90
and \$12.65 closing buyers at \$12.50.There are enquiries for Sandakan
Lights and offers of shares are in-
vited. Hotels have been exten-
sively traded in and some large blocks
of shares have been purchased for
cash at \$6.30 and for November and
December Settlements at \$6.45
& \$6.50 respectively. Hong Kong
Docks were placed at \$13.50 & \$14
and Wharves up to \$115 and \$117Providents (Old) had wide fluctua-
tions, and after touching \$2.75 re-
ceded to \$2.20 buyers at close.
The new share are wanted at 15
cents. Lands were sold at \$41 and
Humphreys at \$10. Hong Kong
Realty took a sharp spurt to
\$6.00 sales, but close sellers at
\$5.80. Cements eased to \$12.25
and Ropes to \$3.90 se'l'rs. Dairy
Farms improved to \$23.25 salesEwes came in for attention, after
months of neglect, and transactions
were reported up to \$9.30. Bank
of East Asia have buyers at \$90
sellers scarce. Unions and Banks
continue in unsatisfied demand at
\$580 and \$1610 respectively. The
former are cum an interim divid-
end of 15/- payable on Novem-
ber 20th next. Hong Kong Fire
exchanged at \$255 and Canton Ins
can be taken at \$267.The average of Manila quotat-
ions is under last week's
and the majority of shares, al-
though much firmer at close, are
procurable at slightly cheaper rates
than those ruling last week. An-
tamoks are quiet around \$5.40.Atoks close at \$1.10 Benguet Ex-
plorations at 44 cts., Baguio at
59 cts. and Big Wedge at 80 cts
United Paracale dropped to \$2.30
but close with transactions at
\$2.95 and \$2.88. Demonstrations are
in good demand again, after a mid-
week decline and keen buyers at
close bid up to \$1.45. San Mauri-
cios continue to be well supported
and are wanted at \$4.40. Suyoc
have, temporarily, been out of
favour, with shares offered down
to \$1.10.The tone of the market at the
close is very firm and apart from
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fidence since the new Canton re-
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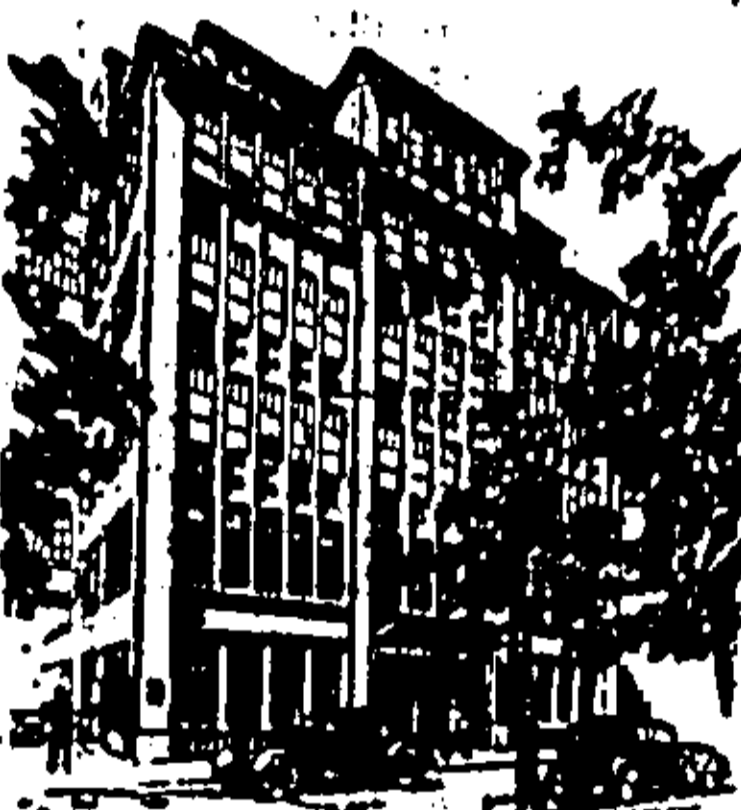
ROBERT BOSCH'S RISE TO FAME

FROM PEASANT'S SON TO GREAT MAGNATE

EARLY BEGINNINGS OF A PIONEER ELECTRICAL MANUFACTURER

PLEASANT Württemberg has been the birthplace of many great men in a variety of the spheres — Schiller, Zeppelin and Daimler, to mention but a few. It is not to be wondered at, therefore, that the name of a Swabian peasant's son should have become a household word at the close of the 19th century. It is surprising, however, that this man's rise to fame should be due, not to any revolutionary invention or outstanding achievement but solely to the exceptional quality of the goods he sent out into the world. That is the fundamental principle underlying the success of Robert Bosch — born just 75 years ago (on September 23, 1861) at Albeck, a village on the Swabian Jura, where the modern arterial road Stuttgart — Ulm — Munich crosses into Bavaria.

The early years of a remarkable man never fail to arouse general interest. Those of Robert Bosch showed no signs of the fame that was to be his in later years. He attended a secondary school at Ulm on the lovely Danube, in which town he served his fine-mechanic apprenticeship with Master Maier, who at that time adopted the old-time style of an "optician and mechanic"; then came journeyman's years as a plumber, mechanic and mechanical engineer, followed by military service with an Ulm pioneer regiment — further journeyman's years in the course of which he worked as an electro-mechanic for Schuckerts in Nuremberg — a short term at the Technical High School, Stuttgart to study the secrets of electrical engineering — then he became electrical engineer with Bergmann's in the United States, where he met Thomas Edison — then a period of unemployment when he came face to face for the first time with



The Administration Building of the Bosch Works, built in 1912.

trade union problems in the States — half a year with the London Branch of Siemens — and finally, in 1886, at the age of 25, the foundation of a workshop in back-yard premises in Stuttgart, employing one skilled hand and one apprentice.

Such was the commencement of his career. Small as the beginning was, he had a definite goal, and he marched towards it shrewdly, patiently and tenaciously. He needed no boosting — painstaking work was his advertisement.

"Mere Accident"

Great things often spring from small beginnings. So it was by a mere accident that one day a mechanical engineer "in a small way of business" demanded of Robert Bosch an electric ignition apparatus for a gas-driven engine, and Bosch set about complying with the demand. And his phenomenal rise in the realm of industry dates from the completion of that order.

It was inevitable that the name of Bosch should become popular at a time when the petrol-driven engine gained world-wide popularity. For it was Robert Bosch who created for this petrol-driven engine with his electric magneto that element of construction which struck out new paths in its development. Ten years after the first magneto was completed — in 1896 — the 1,000th Bosch Magneto left the workshop, then employing no more than twenty hands.

In 1901, the back-yard premises were abandoned for a factory building that started off with a pay-roll of 45. In 1902, Robert Bosch's highly talented right-hand man, Honold, produced the first high tension magneto that caused a revolution in the motoring world. Bosch became therefore the centre of a production that was soon to be called upon to satisfy the enormously increasing requirements of the motoring industry.

Special Plug

The high tension magneto required a sparking plug of special

construction. It was Bosch who set out to provide it. Since then Bosch Magnetos and Bosch Plugs have become the steady companions of motorists all over the world.

The increase in engine revolution called for a reliable lubrication arrangement, and again it was Bosch who developed what is now known as the Bosch Central Lubricator, in 1911. The advance in motoring and speeds made better lighting conditions for night driving a necessity — so Bosch built the first dynamos and electric head-lamps, in 1913.

Then it was found that higher engine compressions made cranking difficult — once again it was Bosch who built the now famous Bosch Starter (1913), after the lead acid battery had been introduced as a means of supplying current.

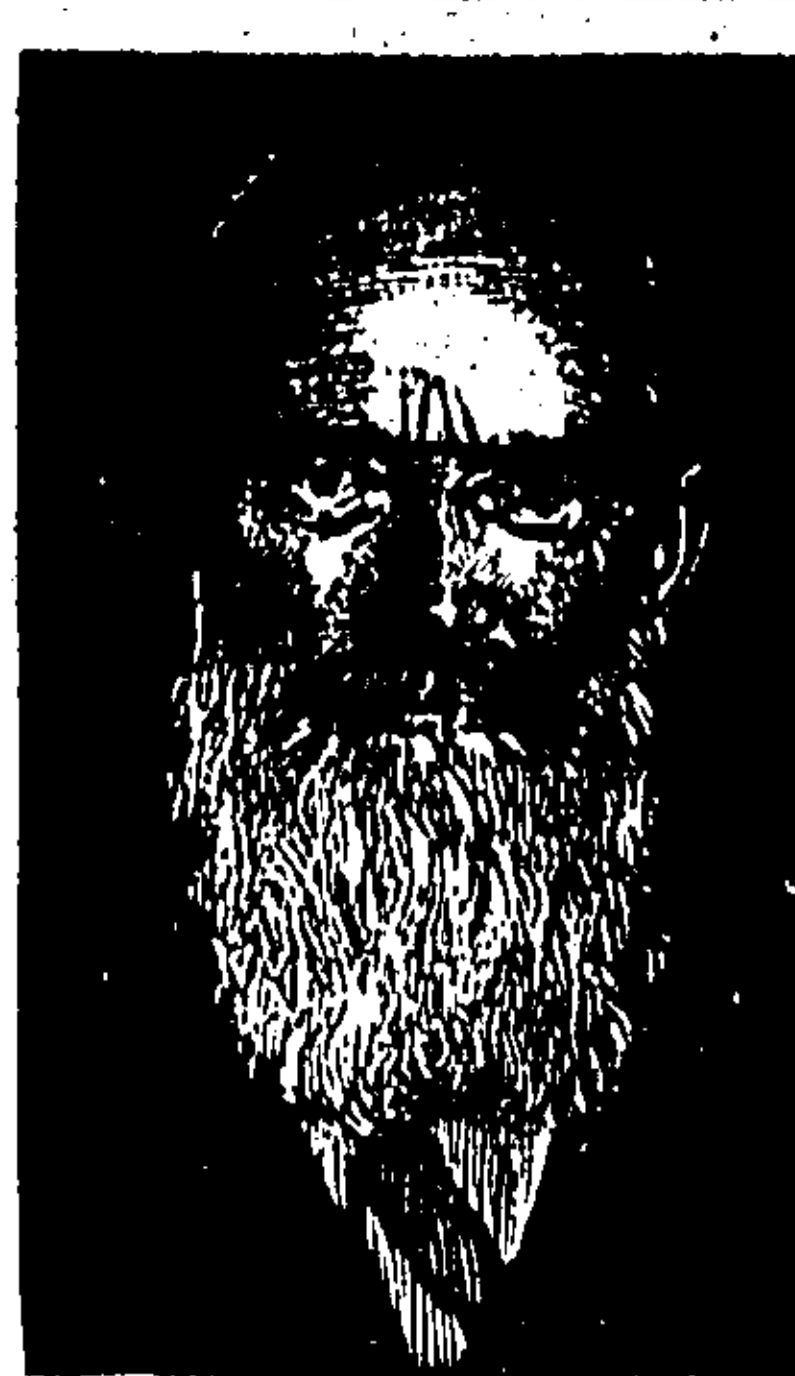
But more than that, Bosch thought of the safety of motorist and pedestrian alike when he introduced his Bosch Horn, in 1921. The horn gained great popularity throughout the world. He started producing headlamps with a far distance beam and an anti-dazzle device (1920), when he developed windscreen wipers, direction indicators, servo brakes, and a multitude of other useful accessories without which present-day motoring would be anathema.

New Problem Tackled

In the meantime, a new technical problem in the shape of the compression ignition engine began to loom large in the eyes of the motoring world. Bosch set out to attempt the construction of the requisite injection pump — and he succeeded. Ever since 1926, Bosch has undertaken the serial production of injection pumps for every Diesel engine factory in the world. Important as the Bosch injection pump is for the Diesel engine, of equal importance was the Diesel engine for Bosch. The enormous importance of Bosch's achievements, particularly in the development of the Diesel engine, has long been recognised and appreciated.

At a time when Daimler hesitatingly decided to incorporate the Bosch magneto into his motor-cars, Robert Bosch made contracts for the sale of his products in England and France. As long ago as 1906 the New-York agency styled "Bosch Magneto Company Inc." came into being and similar establishments were opened in all European countries and in Central and South America.

Such a far-sighted and thorough business policy could not but be crowned with success. At the outbreak of the tragic world war, in 1914, Bosch exports represented 88 per cent. of the total production of his factories, and this figure reflects the untiring energy with which the markets of the world were conquered.



Dr. Robert Bosch, Chairman of the Board of Directors.

After The War

The termination of the world war imposed upon Bosch the necessity of regaining the markets for his products. Old-established houses in France and England took in hand the manufacture of Bosch products on Bosch principles and on the strength of Bosch licenses (Lavallo-Bosch at Paris-Saint. Ouen, and C.A.V.-Bosch at Acton, London). A model service-after-sale organisation was established at an early period, and it is no exaggeration to say that this was the first organisation of its kind in the world. Bosch service stations sprang up in all important towns on the habitable globe, and these ideally equipped workshops, advisory centres and sales offices enjoy a reputation second to none.

Subsequently, a period set in that represented a severe crisis in the motoring industry, but Bosch took timely steps to maintain the efficiency of his works and retain the services of his highly-trained staff of skilled workers. Born of this necessity was the manufacturing of electric tools, radio parts, electric refrigerators and gramophones.

These articles have hardly any connection with automobile accessories, but they enabled the retention of the greater part of his expert staff in the period of depression. These protective measures have brought about, within the last few years, amalgamations with the radio industry (Ideal Werke A.-G., Berlin, manufacturers of wireless sets), the cinematograph industry (Eugen Bauer G.m.b.H., Stuttgart, manufacturers of projectors and sound-film apparatus) as well as with the gas implement industry (Junkers & Co. G.m.b.H., Dessau, manufacturers of geysers).

Skilled Workers

Bosch works owe the proverbial high-grade quality of their products to the sound, painstaking and reliable workmanship of their staff of skilled workers. That is due to no small extent to the fact that Robert Bosch looks after his employees like fond parents look after their children. Small wonder, therefore, that in the House of Bosch the "governor" is referred to as "Father Bosch."

In 1906, when the 100,000th Bosch Magneto left the works, Robert Bosch created a stir throughout the industrial world by introducing the 8-hour day — a bold experiment in those days. But more than that, Bosch has always shown himself to be magnanimous where salaries and wages for his staff were concerned. It is but a statement of plain fact to say that the wages he has been paying his workers have always been considerably above trade union rates.

His inherent feeling of responsibility for the welfare of all his

GOVERNMENT TENDER

Repairs To Steam Launch

Sealed tenders in quintuplicate, which should be clearly marked "Tender for repairs to Steam Launch 'S.D. 2'", will be received at the Colonial Secretary's office until noon of Friday, October, 9. A list of work may be obtained at the Assistant Government Marine Surveyor's Office, Government Slipway, Yaumatei.

The Government does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

The work to be carried out to the satisfaction of the Government Marine Surveyor, and to be duly completed within the number of working days specified by the tender to commence from the date of handing over of the launch to tenderers for repair; falling completion within such time deduction will be made from the contract price, by way of liquidated damages for delay, at the rate of \$30 for each and every subsequent day until and including the date of due completion of the work.

BRITISH PLANE MISSING

On Flight To Paris From London

London, Yesterday. Up to a late hour last evening no news had been received of the Imperial Airways liner *London*, which left Croydon with surplus freight and mails at 12.30 p.m. and from which the last wireless message was received at 1.30. No S.O.S. was sent out. The aeroplane was due at Paris at three o'clock. A search is being carried out in the Channel. The pilot and wireless operator were the sole occupants.—British Wireless Service.

START OF AIR RACE TO BE BROADCAST

London, yesterday.—A commentary on the start of the England to Johannesburg air race will be broadcast from Portsmouth Aerodrome in transmission I on September 29 from 5.10 to 5.45 a.m. G.M.T. approximately, on GSI, GSD and GSB.—British Wireless Service.

TREASURY BILLS ISSUE

London, Yesterday.—The total amount applied for in tenders for £50,000,000 worth of Treasury bills was £76,110,000. The average rate per cent. for bills at three months was 10/3.52d., against 10/4.90d. a week ago.—British Wireless Service.

employees caused him to found a Benevolent Fund, known as "Bosch Aid," that makes grants of old-age pensions and looks after the widows and orphans of his workers. The stock capital of this Fund has now reached the imposing figure of 11,000,000 Reichsmarks. The rise of the Bosch Works to the largest factory in the world manufacturing motor-car accessories is shown in a comparison of the index figures of the pay-roll; viz.:

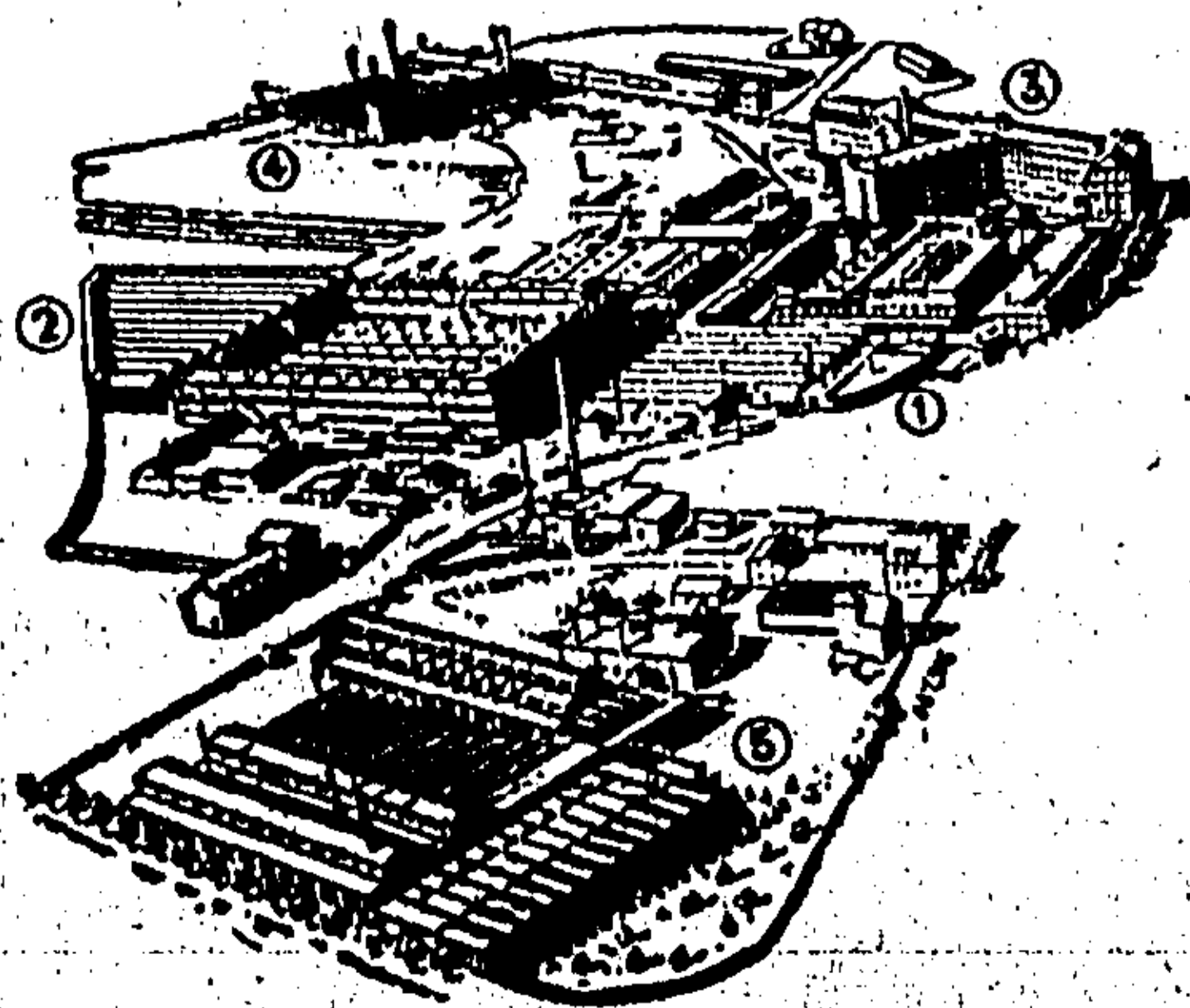
1914—4,700; 1918—9,800; 1925—13,800; 1930—3,100; 1932—3,300; 1933—3,000; 1934—12,400; 1935—15,000; 1936—16,000.

Remarkable Achievement

On September 23, 1936, Robert Bosch was 75 years old. This day marked, at the same time, the 50th anniversary of the foundation of his enterprise. Truly, a remarkable achievement the success of which is due in no small degree to his motto: "I would rather lose money than confidence!"

To-day, every motorist knows that he can place full trust in Bosch products. And when crack drivers emerge victoriously on the race tracks of the world on Mercedes-Benz cars, on Auto-Union cars, on the Italian Alfa-Romeos and Maseratis, on the English E.T.A.s, and other famous racing cars and motor-cycles, Bosch is sure to have his share in such successes. When achievement is a question of utmost reliability, the name of Bosch enjoys unlimited confidence.

And that is the outstanding merit of this simple Swabian peasant's son, who has risen from the ranks to become a captain of industry.



The present factory at Stuttgart-Fuesbach.



The Chung Shing Benevolent Society's swimming teams won the 200 Metres and 400 Metres Relay races at the Ninth Kwangtung Provincial Aquatic Meet held in Canton on the 20th inst. The two winning teams are shown above. (Photo by Mr. W. C. Kwok).

DANCE AT HOTEL CECIL

Welch Fusiliers' N.C.O.s

MOST SUCCESSFUL FUNCTION

One of the most successful and gay social functions of the year took place last night, when the junior non-commissioned officers of the Royal Welch Fusiliers held a dinner and dance on a grand scale in the popular ballroom of the Hotel Cecil for the purpose of bidding farewell to friends in the Regiment who will be leaving the Colony shortly.

Added to the newly painted ballroom, the lavish decoration with lights, floral adornment, balloons, streamers and palms made the hall most attractive, while the gay dresses and uniforms of those present created an atmosphere most becoming to the occasion. The special feature of the artistic decorations was that they were made to correspond with the Regiment's colours.

Dinner was served at 7 p.m. and the dance, which started at 8 p.m., was attended by over 400 persons. The music was supplied by the band of the Royal Welch Fusiliers, by kind permission of Major T. C. Sharpe and Officers.

Those Present

During the evening the prizes for the Spot Waltz and lucky numbers were distributed by Mrs. Grune, wife of Major E. S. C. Grune, and among the large attendance were Captain and Mrs. W. P. Kenyon M.C., Major and Mrs. E. S. C. Grune, Major D. W. Kirby, Captain E. R. Freeman, M.C., Lieut. H. P. H. Kempthorne, Lieut. J. W. Riley, Lieut. R. C. M. Kelley, Lieut. E. C. Parker-Jervis, Lieut. Q. M. and Mrs. C. Jones, R.S.M. and Mrs. Salter, Sgt. and Mrs. Rose, C.S.M. and Mrs. Elvin, Sgt. and Mrs. Cutler, Sgt. and Mrs. Casson, Sgt. and Mrs. McGuinness, Sgt. and Mrs. Flanagan, Sgt. and Mrs. Jones, Sgt. and Mrs. Thomas, Cpl. and Mrs. Nerlan, Sgt. and Mrs. Armstrong, Sgt. and Mrs. Stopped, Sgt. and Mrs. Cheley, Mrs. M. Court, Mrs. Muller, Mrs. Kinsella, Mrs. J. Jones, Miss E. Brewin, Mrs. McCarthy, Mr. and Mrs. Reid, Mrs. Allen, Mrs. Clarke, Mrs. Brerley, Mr. Quiller, Cpl. and Mrs. Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. Miss Kingdom, Cpl. and Mrs. Osborne, Cpl. and Mrs. Gutteridge, Mrs. Gaythorpe, Mrs. Latham, Sgt. and Mrs. Shotter, Sgt. and Mrs. Rowlands, Sgt. and Mrs. Jones, Sgt. and Mrs. Owens, C.S.M. and Mrs. Fleming, S/Sgt. and Mrs. and Miss Grant and others.

The following are some of those who are leaving the Colony soon, and in whose honour the function was given: Messrs. Harding Jones, Protheroe, Wiseman, Ellis, Roberts, Davis, Whitehead, Jones (99), and R.S.M. Ridings.

The prizes for the Spot Waltz were won by: Mr. and Mrs. Goodfellow, Sgt. and Mrs. Jones and Mr. Kinsella and Mrs. McGuinness, while the lucky number prizes were won by Mrs. Cheltry and Mrs. McGuinness.

Cpl. McHugh, the president, said that the function was the most successful they have held in the Colony since their arrival here, and that thanks were due to Mr. Chan, the manager of the Hotel, and his staff for all the decorations and the assistance he had given them.

Y.M.C.A. HOCKEY SUCCESS

Odd Goal Win Over Naval Team

LOSERS PLAY TEN MEN

A very evenly contested hockey game was witnessed at King's Park yesterday afternoon when the European Y.M.C.A. beat a team from the 8th Destroyer Flotilla by 4 goals to 3, after leading at the interval by the odd goal in five.

The sailors gave a fine display with only 10 players throughout the encounter.

The outstanding feature of the game was the splendid defence of the sailors in the second half of the game against a fast and thrustful attack, and the fact that only one goal was scored against them in this period speaks volumes for their display.

The "Y" fielded a stronger team than usual and had the services of S. A. Fowler in their attack at inside-right, and this made a world of difference. W. J. Brown, the "Y" centre-forward, and G. Cox, their inside-left, were also outstanding, but both wingers were weak and were never in position to take a pass.

Halves' Fine Display

The "Y" intermediate line, and especially Bates, in the centre-half berth, shone throughout, Lange and Austen rendering great work on the flanks with magnificent spilling. Trumlett was the pick of the two backs, Henderson being a trifle slow, while his position was poor. Moss gave an indifferent display between the sticks.

Webb, the Naval leader, was in fine fettle, while Dick and Cartwright, on the left-wing, were their most dangerous combination. Baines gave a very fine display in goal and effected several daring saves.

The Naval team opened the scoring through Webb. Fowler equalised soon after, but the Naval side again took the lead through Webb. Brown levelling the scores for the "Y" five minutes before the interval. Just before half-time Cox gave the "Y" the lead. In the second half Brown added the "Y's" fourth goal with a very pretty effort and Dick scored the Naval side's third just before the end. Mr. G. T. Palmer and Lieut. Keats umpired.

Y.M.C.A.: A. H. Moss; A. Henderson; S. A. Fowler; H. G. Lange; E. A. Bates and H. Austen; L. W. Macey; S. A. Fowler; W. J. Brown; G. Cox and S. Smith.

Destroyers: Sub. Lt. Baines; Lt. Comdr. Selby and A. B. Thomson; A. B. Pitcher, P. O. Margate and P. O. Lester; A. B. Farmer; Sub. Lt. Webb, Comdr. Dick, and Lt. Cdr. Cartwright.

FUSILIERS DEFEATED

Several friendly hockey games were played in Kowloon yesterday. The 1/8th Punjab Regiment beating the Royal Welch Fusiliers on the Marina by 5 goals to 1 after leading at the interval by 2 clear goals. Mohamed Afzar (2) and Jaggeet Singh (3) scored for the winners, while Roberts netted for the losers.

NOMADS BEATEN

In another game on the Marina, on the H.K.S.R.A. ground which is now undergoing temporary repairs, the 12th Battery of the Brigade beat the Nomads by 3 goals to 1 after leading at the interval by two clear goals. S. Reed scored the Nomads' only goal. R. J. Reed had a nasty fall in the early part of the game, sustaining a split lower lip and other facial injuries. He, however, carried on till the end!

K.I.T.C. WIN

The Kowloon Indians' Tennis Club second eleven were also seen in action against the H.K.S.R.A. second eleven and won a fast game by the odd goal in three, Pyara Singh, a new "find," and J. Pinto scoring for the winners.

Promising Talent Found At "Y" Ladies' Hockey Trial

The European Y.M.C.A. Ladies' Hockey Section held their first trial match yesterday at King's Park, where some promising talent was on view, 20 players in all being present under Mr. G. T. Palmer, their coach, who gave them a real workout in the hot sunshine.

Among the newcomers on view was Mrs. Burke, who gave an impressive display as a full-back. Mrs. McLean has improved greatly since her one or two games during the latter part of last season. Miss J. Lakeman gave a

promising exhibition as a forward. Mrs. Starbuck is undoubtedly the "find" of the season.

Mrs. Starbuck was seen in the centre-half position and gave a most promising display, and there is no doubt that we shall hear plenty more of this player, whose sound constructive play and distribution were the main features of the trial.

Under the watchful eye of Mr. Palmer, two sides were given 40 minutes' strenuous running about and, judging by the enthusiasm displayed, the "Y" Ladies will



Miss Ronnie Thirlwell, above, is the Colony lady swimming champion.

YACHT RACING

Dorothea And Jan Successful

Dorothea, sailed by Lt.-Col. S. D. Reid, won the "H" class yacht race yesterday, while Mr. O. Brunsdard was first with Jan in the "A" class race.

In the race for Mixed Classes, Robena (Mr. Wagstaff) was first and Eunice (Mr. F. Anthony) second.

The following are the detailed results:

"H" Class Started 14.30	Corrected	Pos.
Dorothea (Lt. Col. S. D. Reid)	16.01.09	1
Diana (Mr. P. Ramus)	16.01.50	2
Rolla (Col. E. St. G. Kirke)	D.N.F.	
"A" Class Started 14.35	Finished	Pos.
Jan (Mr. O. Brunsdard)	16.17.20	1
Cicada (Mr. M. N. Coates)	16.17.37	2
Artemis (Mr. G. G. Woods)	16.18.35	3
Lobo (Major B. B. Edwards)	16.19.44	4
Mixed Classes Started 14.44	Finished	Pos.
Robena (Mr. Wagstaff)	16.24.31	1
Eunice (Mr. F. Anthony)	16.24.35	2
Stella (Mr. C. Manning)	16.29.19	3
Widgeon (Mr. L. Garner)	16.32.33	4
Sirius (Capt. J. D. Newman)	16.35.09	5
Gael (Dr. D. Hope Gilby)	16.32.55	6
Winkie (Mr. F. Black)	16.44.34	7

FRIENDLY CRICKET MATCHES

Drawn Game At The D.B.S.

At the Diocesan Boys' School, a friendly cricket match between the School and a team captained by A. B. Hamson ended in a draw:

A. B. Hamson XI: 144 for 9 dec. (W. Roper 58, N. Pinchoy 26, E. Fischer 4 for 26). D.B.S.: 140 for 6 (F. Lay 72 not out, R. Broadbridge 2 for 31).

BOWLERS IN FORM

On the Navy ground, King's Park, H.M.S. Dainty beat a combined team drawn from the destroyers Duchess and Delight by 120 runs. Dainty: 172 (Lythe 32, Scammall 20; Hill 4 for 45). Duchess and Delight: 52 (Hathaway 17; Matthews 3 for 22, Scammall 3 for 4).

CLUB JUNIORS WIN

Playing at home, the Hong Kong Cricket Club second eleven beat a Royal Navy team in a friendly cricket match by 3 wickets. Navy: 181 (Lieut. Comdr. D'Arcy Evans 4 for 28, Wauchop 30 retired, Comdr. Hayter 52, Holden 3 for 38, Read 2 for 6). H.K.C.C.: 194 for 7 (A. S. Read 32, N. P. Fox 61 not out, J. Redman 36 not out, Prichard 4 for 56).

probably be able to field two strong elevens during the forthcoming season.

The following players were on view yesterday:

Whites: Mrs. Barnes; Miss J. Welles; Mrs. Burke; Mrs. McLean; and Mrs. Starbuck; Miss E. Holloway; Miss K. Tonge; Miss J. Lakeman; Miss P. George; and Miss J. Syrik. Colours: Miss W. George; Miss Sinclair; and Mrs. Kemp; Miss F. Fowler; and Miss L. Murray; Miss O. Dalziel; Miss S. Dalziel; Mrs. M. and Miss A. Fowler; and Miss M. Westcott.

INTERPORTER JOINS "Y"

Miss Mario Smith, formerly of the Central British Association Ladies, who scored the winning goal for the Colony against the Shanghai Ladies' Hockey Association in the last Interport match, has definitely joined the Y.M.C.A. Ladies' Hockey Section, and will be seen in action in their trial on Tuesday next.

INTERPORT ELEVEN HAVE UPPER HAND

Broadbridge And Ryland Shine

R. LEE BOWLS WELL

The selected Interport cricket team showed up very well in yesterday's practice game against the Rest of the Colony on the Kowloon Cricket Club ground, for not only did they dismiss their opponents for a meagre 148 runs, on a wicket that favoured the batsmen more than it did the bowlers, but they went on to consolidate their position by scoring 160 for 4, all of the batsmen reaching double figures. They will continue their innings to-day, commencing at 11.30 a.m.

There were two changes in the Rest team, D. McLellan and F. Broadbridge taking the places of N. A. E. Mackay and Tel. Tufnell, both of whom were unable to play. Winning the toss, A. W. Hayward, the captain of the Rest, elected to bat and sent E. C. Fincher and L. D. Kilbee out to open the innings.

Special mention must be made of the way in which Broadbridge played the bowling. He was not in the least perturbed in the face of any of the Interporters and brought off one or two first class shots, Capt. Ryland, in his debut here, created a good impression and is likely to make a lot of runs as the season progresses.

Lee Bowls Well

Lieut. C. C. Garthwaite strained a shoulder muscle and could not bowl, and of the six bowlers tried Lee was outstanding. He was swinging a lot and though he only took one wicket, he deserved more success. Minu took five wickets, but he was lucky; Pearce, Madar, Pearce and Gosano all bowled steadily but had little or no help from the wicket.

The fielding of the Interport team was patchy. Robbie Lee and Capt. Pearce each brought off a brilliant catch, while Nazarin held two very good ones in the country. Curiously enough, Gosano, usually a very safe fielder, dropped two catches and Minu one.

Interporters Bat

W. H. Colledge and C. C. Garthwaite opened the innings for the Interport team and it would be safe to presume that they will do so in Shanghai. Garthwaite found his off drives perfectly timed the boundary three times, while Colledge showed a distinct partiality for the leg glide. Ernie Fincher batted for just over the half-hour in the course of which he scored 44 runs, including seven boundaries. His drive past cover and a pull to square leg brought him most of his runs.

The bowling of the Rest was sound without being impressive.

The Rest

E. C. Fincher, lb.w., b. Pearce ... 10
L. D. Kilbee, c. Nazarin, b. Minu ... 22
E. Zimmerman, lb.w., b. Lee ... 5
H. Owen Hughes, c. Lee, b. Minu ... 7
A. W. Hayward, c. Pearce, b. Madar ... 6
A. E. Perry, c. Colledge, b. Madar ... 23
D. McLellan, b. Minu ... 10
Capt. G. H. Ryland, not out ... 20
F. D. Pearce, c. Nazarin, b. Minu ... 9
F. Goodwin, st. Colledge, b. Madar ... 18
F. Broadbridge, lb.w., b. Pearce ... 19
Extras (B13; LB4; W3) ... 18

Total ... 143
Fall of wickets: 1 (Fincher) for 26; 2 (Zimmerman) for 35; 3 (Owen Hughes) for 53; 4 (Hayward) for 55; 5 (Kilbee) for 80; 6 (Perry) for 93; 7 (McLellan) for 95; 8 (Pearce) for 97; 9 (Goodwin) for 109; 10 (Broadbridge) for 143.

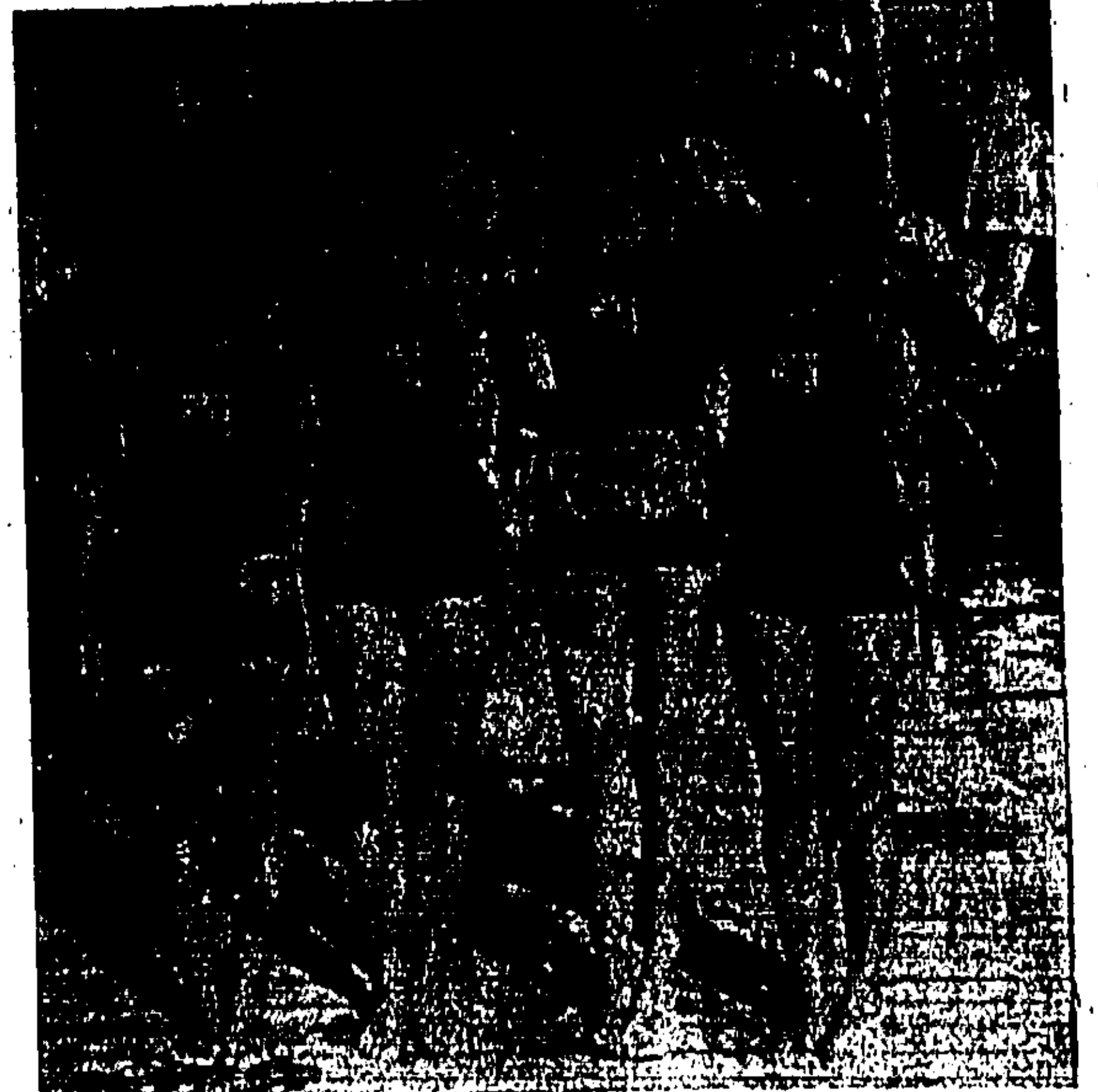
Bowling Analysis
O. M. R. W.
Lee ... 9 2 22 1
Gosano ... 4 1 12 0
Pearce ... 8 2 10 1
Minu ... 14 1 49 5
Pearce ... 6.1 1 16 1
Madar ... 4 1 16 2
Pearce bowled one wide ball and Minu bowled one no ball.

Interport XI

W. H. Colledge, c. Ryland, b. Pearce ... 25
C. C. Garthwaite, lb.w., b. Owen Hughes ... 21
E. F. Fincher, st. Zimmerman, b. Goodwin ... 44
A. H. Madar, c. b. Goodwin ... 24
K. Nazarin, not out ... 20
D. W. Pearce, not out ... 11
Extras (B12; LB2; N.B.1) ... 15

Total for 4 wkts. ... 160
E. L. Gosano, G. Clegg-Hill, T. A. Pearce, A. R. Minu and R. Lee, to bat.
Fall of wickets: 1 (Garthwaite) for 55; 2 (Colledge) for 57; 3 (Fincher) for 122; 4 (Madar) for 125.

Bowling Analysis
O. M. R. W.
Pearce ... 8 0 24 1
Perry ... 4 0 25 0
Owen Hughes ... 8 1 30 1
Goodwin ... 8 0 48 2
McLellan ... 4 0 10 0



The lady swimmers of the Chung Shing Benevolent Society, above, met with success at the Ninth Kwangtung Provincial Aquatic Meet held at Canton on the 20th inst. when they won the 200 Metres Relay race. (Photo by Mr. W. C. Kwok).

LOCAL SHARE MARKET

Improved Conditions Maintained

CLOSING RATES STEADY

In an interview with the Sunday Herald yesterday, Mr. C. A. L. Rickett, secretary of the Hong Kong Sharebrokers' Association, said:

"The improved conditions of the local market were well maintained during the week under review. Prices of some of the more speculative stocks gave way slightly towards the end of the week on account of profit-taking at enhanced prices. Of these China Lights were, perhaps, the most outstanding, easing off from \$15.85 to \$15. Hotels declined from \$6.80 to \$6, and Providents (old) from \$2.70 to \$2.20. At the close these stocks strengthened and there was an unsatisfied demand for both cash and forward shares at improving prices. Of the higher priced investment stocks, rates remained steady throughout the week, with an upward tendency. Wharves were put through at \$117, Star Forries at \$95, and Dairy Farms at \$22. A strong undertone was evident at the close."

Easier prices in the Philippine Mining section prevailed throughout the week, an irregular market being reported from Manila, the disquiet probably being caused indirectly by rumours of the devaluation of the French franc and the subsequent uncertainty in the future of gold values.

There are few changes worth recording in gold mining shares, but at the close prices steadied, with no shares offering on the Hong Kong market."

RACING

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Also ran:—Balios, 158 lb., (Mr. S. C. Liang); Cassius, 141 lb., (Mr. I. C. Harris); Emergency Call, 153 lb., (Mr. W. G. Poy); Gold Eagle, 140 lb., (Mr. H. C. Ph); Judea, 158 lb., (Mr. P. P. Botelho); Old Star 161 lb., (Mr. Ip Kui-ying); Popular Star, 151 lb., (Mr. R. M. Wood); and Pot-latch, 143 lb., (Mr. H. M. Ph).

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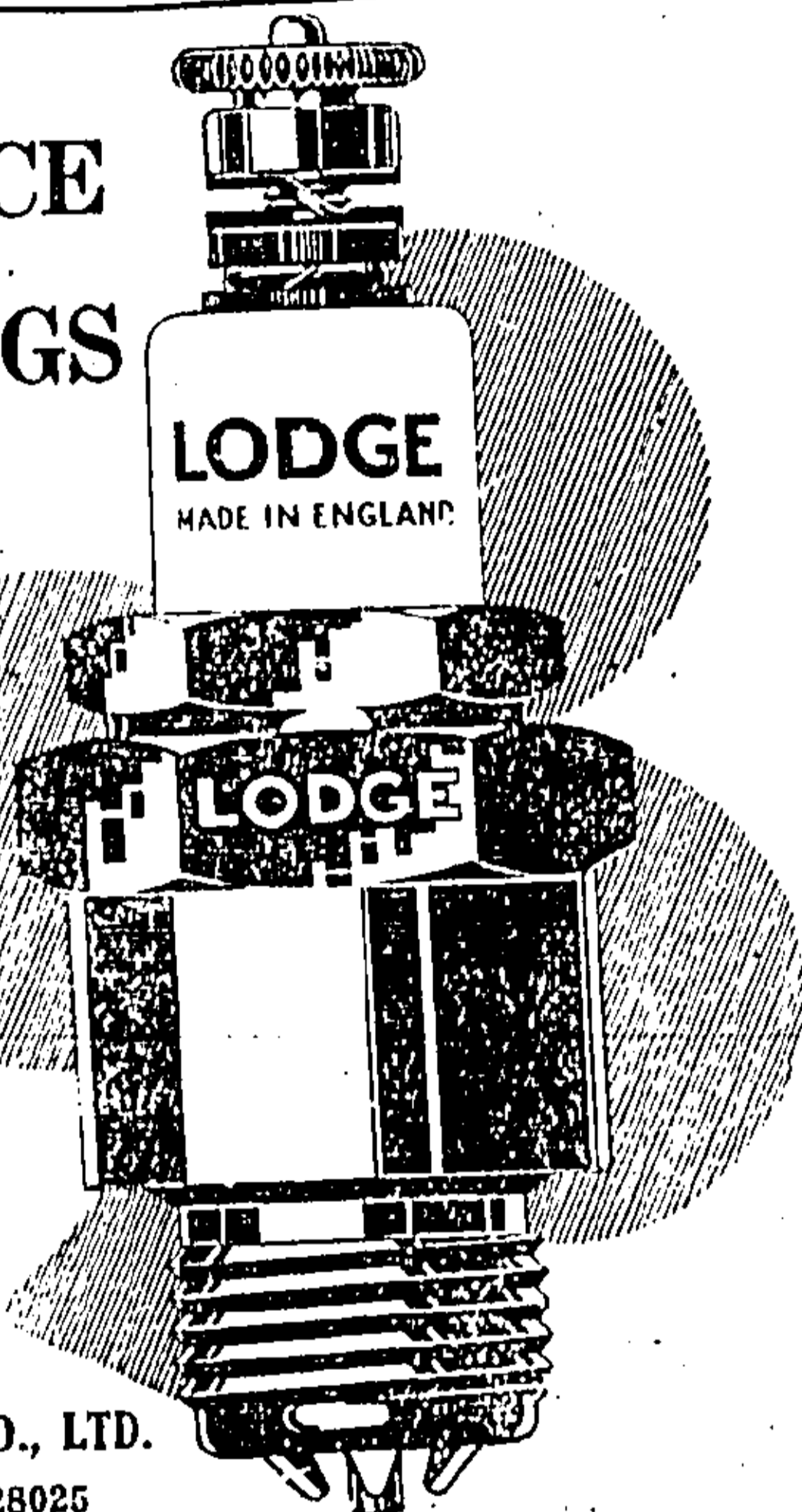
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The Moon Festival In China

Ancient Beliefs Of The People

Picturesque Legends Of Days That Are Past

(By PHYLLIS JUBY)

CHINA'S eighth month, the month of the fur animals, of the sound *chang* and the musical tube *nan liu*, of the bitter taste and the smell of raw meat. The wind whistles with violence, the wild geese, big and small, arrive, the swallows return to the south, the birds gather sweet things for the winter. The month of the Moon's Birthday, when summer heat begins to give way to autumn coolness, to darkness, to the time of the Yin, the female element. For the moon, say the Chinese, consists of the Yin, the fluid, source of moisture; the feminine deity typifying darkness, water, cold, and womanly submissiveness—as opposed to the masculine powers of the sun, light, heat, virile energy—symbol of the Empress.

So every year when the moon is "perfectly round," on the fifteenth day of the eighth month (this year, on September 30), the moon, patroness of women, is worshipped. Each family lights incense to flame in the family urn and the daughters set out plates filled with round fruits on the altar. Their round not only symbolises the moon but stands for family unity. But the mooncakes are the distinctive offering of the feast. They are piled thirteen in a pyramid, because thirteen represents the months of a complete Chinese year, and, too, a complete "circle of happiness."

These cakes, in the Fourteenth Century, were used by the Emperor Hung Wu, first ruler of the Ming dynasty, to convey secret instructions to his people. At this time the Emperor was finding it difficult to hold out against the Mongols. On the eve of the moon festival he ordered cakes to be made in the shape of the moon and sent them to every family in the city. Hidden in each cake was a piece of paper telling the people what tactics to adopt. That night every person was to fly a lantern and a flag on the ramparts. The enemy in the opposite camp seeing that strange light, bright as day, were paralysed with fear. And the Emperor Hung Wu's soldiers took the opportunity to attack and overcome them. Since then the mooncake has been eaten all over China on this night.

The Rabbit

Each family, too, has its paper rabbit, and a brilliant poster pasted against the wall of the house—a poster showing the Moon Rabbit under the Sacred Cassia Tree, pounding the Pill of Immortality in his mortar. According to the Taoists the white rabbit is the servant of Chang-o—the queen of our luminary—and her genii, for whom it compounds the elixir of life. But there are records preceding the Han dynasty already asserting that the rabbit not only derives its origin from the vital essence of the moon, being ever subject to its influence, but also inhabits the moon.

Then perhaps before the festival is over a prayer is recited: "Thy nature is effulgent, transparent without spot, thou, the icy-wheel in the milky way along the heavenly street, a mirror always bright; 100,000 classes all receive thy blessings."

Actually the worship of the moon is traced back to remotest antiquity; the Li Ki mentions that in

Animated Universe

The sun, the moon and the stars were all so many foundations on which the people could establish their faith and base their hopes. The starting point is an animated universe, spontaneously creating, composed of the two souls, the Yang and the Yin. It is ruled by the Seven Governors: the Sun, Moon, and Five Planets, Mercury, Venus, Mars, Jupiter and Saturn.

They pace the sky, sometimes quickly, sometimes slowly, in the same or opposite directions, and are like princes governing public affairs. Each movement of the moon and its effect on human life is well defined. When the moon follows the middle road there is calm and tranquillity, harmony and peace; when it is in the room Yin there is flood; when it is three feet to the north of the star Yu there will be war and flood; when it is in the room Yang there will be famine and disorder; when it meets the star Yang there is much cruelty; when it is in the region of the Supreme Yang there is dryness and mourning. . . . If the moon advances three feet or retreats five feet it is in revolt against the four pillars: the minister will then be put to death. If the moon comes near the Southern River or the Northern River there will be dryness or humidity, war and death.

Should an eclipse of the moon be caused by Jupiter, starvation will result; if it is caused by Mars there will be trouble; if Saturn, the inferiors will revolt against their superiors; if Venus, a powerful kingdom will be defeated; if Mercury, troubles will arise created by women.

Eclipse Of Sun

An eclipse of the sun is considered the result of a struggle between the sun and the moon, and one of the two must succumb. To frighten the moon, which threatens to obscure the sun, the drum was beaten; the statues of Chou ordered arrows to be shot in addition. The same idea was in practice in Rome; even in the most enlightened period the cymbals were sounded, though in this case they were sounded to help the moon. *Era auxiliare lunae* (Ovid).

According to the Chou, when the government was well administered the Yang principle, represented by the sun, acquired great force, and the obscure Yin principle became very weak. In its ordinary course the moon always avoids placing itself exactly over the sun or facing it. It prefers to submit itself to the sun and obey the astronomical law. Even if the sun and moon, following their regular course, should come into contact, the moon will turn a little out of its course so as not to find itself facing the sun.

The sun eclipsed by the moon is a picture of a weak ruler dominated by a powerful vassal, a son resisting his father, a wife commanding her husband, an inferior being arrogant towards a superior, or barbarians invading the Empire.

The sun and moon met in the upper sphere. The day *Hsin-mao*, the tenth month of the year. The moon was new, as she should reappear. And then the sun, eclipsed, showed evils near.

The moon eclipsed before, and now the sun!

Alas! We men below shall be undone.

More Romantic Significance

To help the Son of Heaven in his fight against the moon, the princes of the east took the spear with the two lateral stems, those from the south took the hooked spear, those from the west took the arbutus, those from the north took the shield, and those from the centre took the drum. To help the sun in its struggle against the moon the Emperor employed five banners, five arms, five drums, the princes three of each, the great prefects had people striking their doors, and the simple officers took pieces of hollow wood.

With the coming of Buddhism to China the moon took on a new and more romantic significance. The Buddhist Prayer to the Moon was recited:

"O goddess of the sombre night! thou who risest in the East and lightest up the heavens, Hades, and the nine points of the horizon, The 84,000 Buddhist terms, ranged in two rows, honour thy majestic rising, and bow to thee as thou ascendest, crowned with a diadem of gold, silver and precious stones. The earth brings forth lotus-flowers when thine eyes are cast upon our miserable exile, and the clouds of heaven serve as a footstool to thy feet." Every youth and maiden who recited this prayer seven times was certain to acquire as much merit as if a whole Sutra

EXPLANATIONS OF TO-DAY'S CARTOON

The King Of Diamonds

JOSEPH I (1715-1777) ascended the throne of Portugal in 1750. It was in his time that the diamond mines of Brazil were first exploited for the benefit of the crown of Portugal. On ceremonial occasions, the King wore the 20-buttoned coat depicted in my cartoon. Each of those buttons was a sparkling diamond of great size, valued at \$20,000 at the time. 20 buttons represent a value of \$400,000 at par, but to get an idea of the magnitude of this sum, it is necessary to multiply the amount by 20. The resulting sum of \$8,000,000 represents the proper purchasing power of the value of the King's buttons at the time.

A Sack Of Flour Cost \$275,000

IN 1863 R. C. Gridley of Upper Austin, Nevada, wagered with Doctor Herrick, county official of Clifton, that the Democratic nominee for Mayor would be elected. If Gridley lost he was to carry a sack of flour from Austin to Clifton to the tune of "John Brown." If he won, Dr. Herrick was to carry the sack from Clifton to Austin to the tune of "Dixie." The wager was won by Dr. Herrick and the loser carried the bag of flour as agreed. When he arrived, the

were recited. He would increase tenfold the happiness and longevity of his aged parents, and if they were deceased, he would hasten their return to a new existence.

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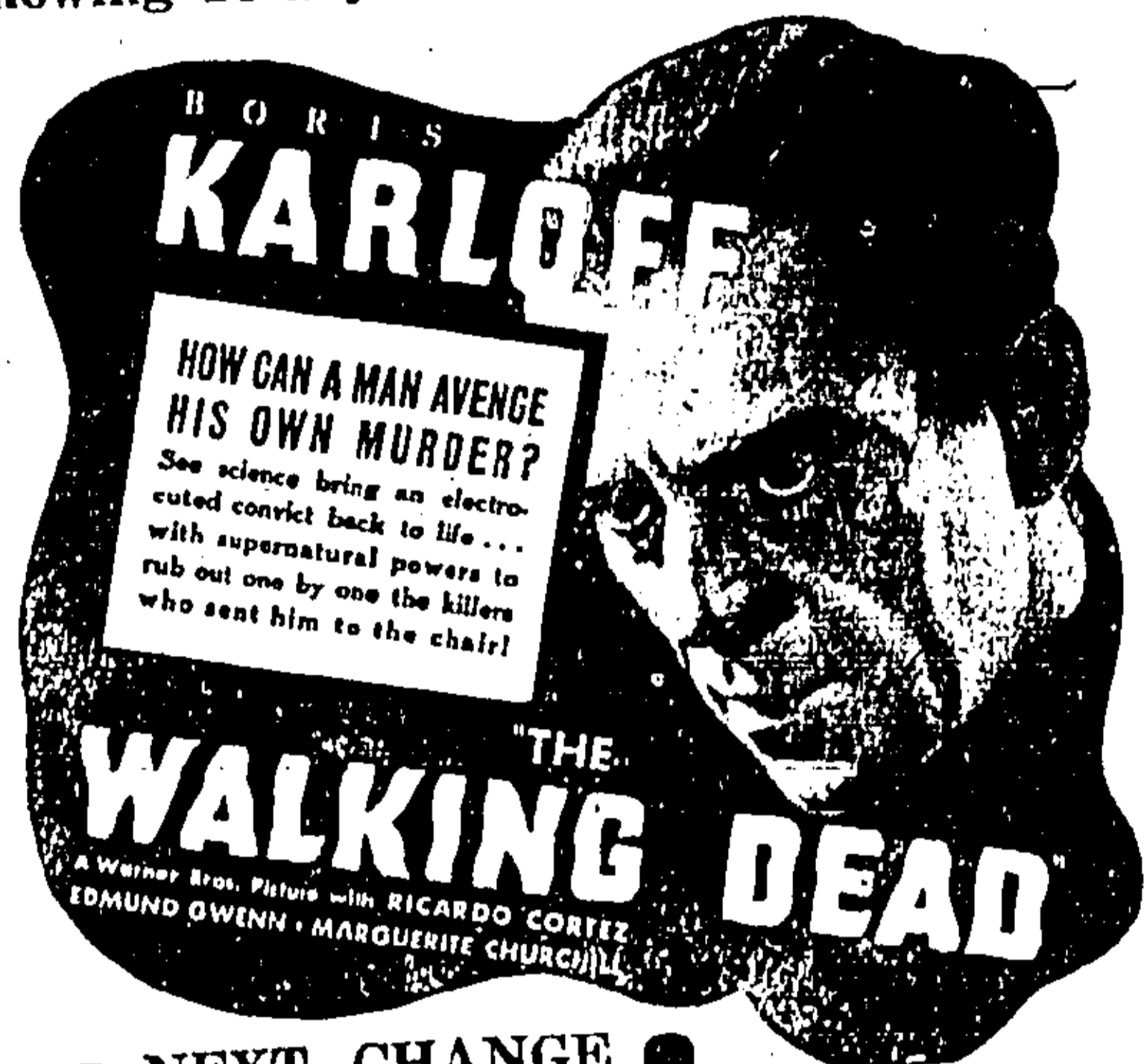


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BRAIN TWISTERS

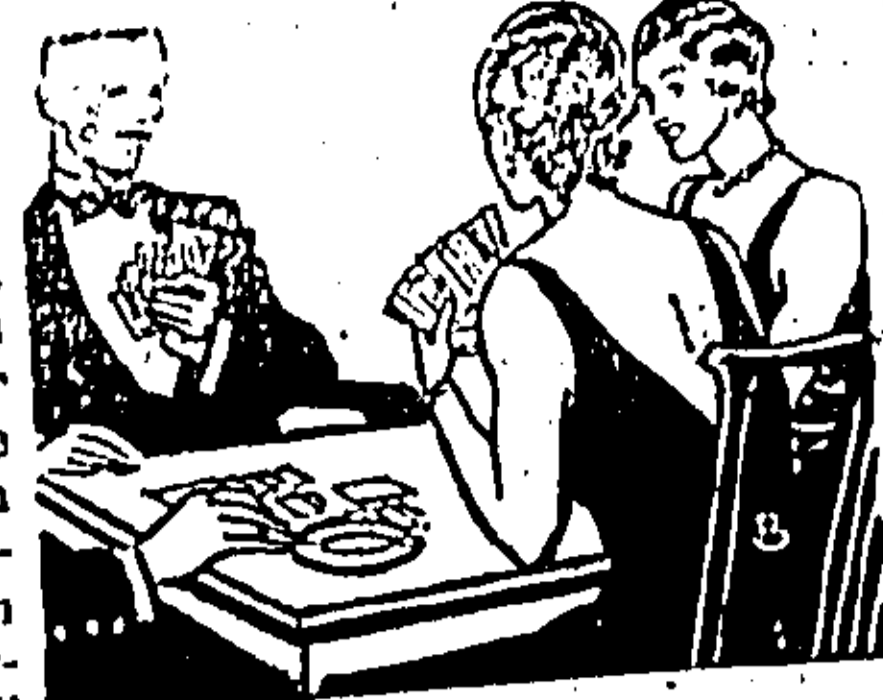
THERE is an impression in the minds of most practical Bridge-players that double dummy problems have little to do with the sort of contract Bridge which is played in the average rubber or tournaments game. By double dummy problems I mean the brain twisters which offer some difficult means of winning a certain number of tricks when the knowledge of the cards held by all four players is known to everyone.

Since the analysis of these problems is based upon knowledge which is withheld from players in an actual game—that is, since it is based upon the sight of the four hands instead of the very fine inferences by which a player is guided when he can see only his own hand and the Dummy—this depreciation of the value of brain twisters to a Bridge player is to some small extent true. There are cases, however, in which familiarity with standard double dummy problem positions can cause a player to find the correct means of handling a difficult situation.

The following is typical of the brain twisters to which I refer:

S. A 9
D. 6 2
C. A 3
N. S. 9 8
W. E. H. J. 8
S. Q 5
H. 6 3
D. A Q 4
C. —

There are no trumps, and South is supposed to win six of the seven tricks, it being South's turn to lead. South is granted the knowledge of all the cards East and West hold, of course. His method of winning six tricks is first to lead the three of hearts and allow West to win with the King. Dummy playing the nine. West must obviously lead a diamond, and South wins East's ten with his Queen. Now South plays the Queen of spades, West discards a diamond and North a club. South next leads to the Ace of hearts and West must still keep two clubs, so he discards another diamond. Dummy now leads the Ace of clubs and East, having the high spade and two diamonds, cannot discard without giving South the sixth trick. If East discards a spade, South throws a diamond and wins the last two tricks with the spade five and diamond Ace. If East discards a diamond, South throws the spade and both his diamonds are good.



While it is unlikely that anyone could make this hand without knowing where all the cards were, the timing principle involved, which requires losing the first trick in order to establish a later squeeze on both opponents, would cause these familiar with this type of problem to play the following hand correctly:

South, dealer
Both sides vulnerable
S. 6 5
H. 10 8 4
D. K 9 5 2
C. A 9 5

S. 7 2
H. Q 3
D. J 8 4
C. K Q J 6 4 2

S. A K Q J 9 8
H. A K 5
D. A 3
C. 8 3

The bidding: (Figures after bids refer to numbered explanatory paragraphs.)

	West	North	East
South	Pass	1NT	Pass
1 S	Pass	4 D (2)	Pass
8 D (1)	Pass	5 C (4)	Pass
4NT (3)	Pass	Pass	Pass
6 S (5)	Pass	Pass	Pass

1—Having nine sure tricks, South insists on playing at a game. This forcing rebid makes it impossible for North to pass until a game contract is reached.

2—North not knowing that South's diamond bid is not genuine, makes the normal response.

3—South could bid five notrump, but that would be forcing a six-bid, which he is not sure he could make.

4—Since clubs have not been bid, this obviously shows the club Ace.

5—An overbid, based on the hope that North's hand is slightly stronger than the bidding has indicated.

West opened the club King, and immediately the value to South of understanding the squeeze principle, as illustrated in the double dummy problem above, is shown. In order to develop a squeeze, which is his only hope for a twelfth trick, South must duck the first club. He cannot produce a squeeze otherwise, and if he does not duck the club he will be unable to give up a trick later with the same effect—if he later gives up a club trick, a third club lead will take out Dummy's nine and West then cannot be squeezed, because he can throw all his clubs away and hold a diamond stopper. If South wins the club Ace on the first trick and later tries to give up a trick in hearts or diamonds, East and West will simply cash their established club trick and defeat the contract that way.

SOMETHING FOR A HEADACHE

(Continued from Page 2)

"So he did, did he?" said the policeman, giving Mitchy the pitying fish-eye. "Well, think of that. And what would you say," asked the officer, "if I told you he sucked me in for \$5,000—and the town for \$3,000,000?"

"Who," gasped Mitchy, "is that man?"

"That?" said the officer, pointing his night stick, "don't you know who that is? He's a fly one, that. That's J. Gordon Simpson, but he'll be known by a number from now on. That's a deputy with him, taking him over to be sentenced. The Supreme Court just turned down his appeal. He's been out on bond since the jury gave him 20 years for embezzling."

"Who did he embezzle from?" said Mitchy. "Everybody," said the officer, "including his own aunt. He was president of the Sixth National Bank."

Mitchy the Snitch was off like an antelope with Pony Boy trying to breast his flying coat-tails. Mitchy closed in on Mr. Simpson and grabbed his arm.

"Listen," said Mitchy, "I take off my hat. You're smart, you're god-awful smart, but be a sport, pal, give us back our dough. You won't need money in the pen. Give it back."

"I'm sorry," said Mr. Simpson, "I haven't got your money."

"Who has, then?" wailed Mitchy.

"The gentleman you gave it to," said Mr. Simpson, "Mr. O'Connor." He flicked Mitchy's arm from his sleeve as the light turned, and the deputy jerked him forward. "And say," he called over his shoulder, "thanks for paying my lawyer. O'Connor didn't have a chance but I hated to see him lose his money. Always like to pay my debts."

Mitchy watched the curious bony figure bounce on down the street. The officer shook a sympathetic head. "No use trying to bleed a turnip," he said. "That man's own aunt lost all she had in the bank. She was one of the heaviest stockholders."

"That's what you think," said Mitchy. To Pony Boy he said: "Got a dime?" Pony Boy said: "Yeah, and a dime's all." He gave it to Mitchy, who then walked down the street to Johnson's Cut-Rate Drug Store and bought himself a couple of aspirin tablets.

(The End.)

(Continued from previous Col.)

able to give up a trick later with the same effect—if he later gives up a club trick, a third club lead will take out Dummy's nine and West then cannot be squeezed, because he can throw all his clubs away and hold a diamond stopper. If South wins the club Ace on the first trick and later tries to give up a trick in hearts or diamonds, East and West will simply cash their established club trick and defeat the contract that way.

After winning the first trick with the club King, West continued clubs, and Dummy's Ace won. South next ran six spade tricks and the A. K. of hearts. On the last lead, West was reduced to three cards; he was forced to hold a club to prevent Dummy's club 9 from winning, so he threw away a diamond and left himself with only two. Dummy, at this point, had the club nine and three diamonds; and since West had retained the high club, Dummy's nine was now discarded. East meanwhile, in his three cards, was forced to hold a heart so that South could not win a trick with his heart five, so East also was reduced to two diamonds with the result that after South's diamond Ace and Dummy's diamond King had been played, Dummy's diamond nine was established and won the last trick. The only trick South lost was the first club, and he made the six-spade contract.

If South had won the first club trick and led out all his spades and the A. K. of hearts, only nine tricks would have been played and there would be no squeeze on East—he could hold the high heart and still have three diamonds to stop that suit. West would meanwhile hold two clubs so that if South led a club out he would lose two clubs immediately, his last trump being gone.

In principle, the hand is the same as the brain twister above, in which there is no squeeze unless the first trick is lost.

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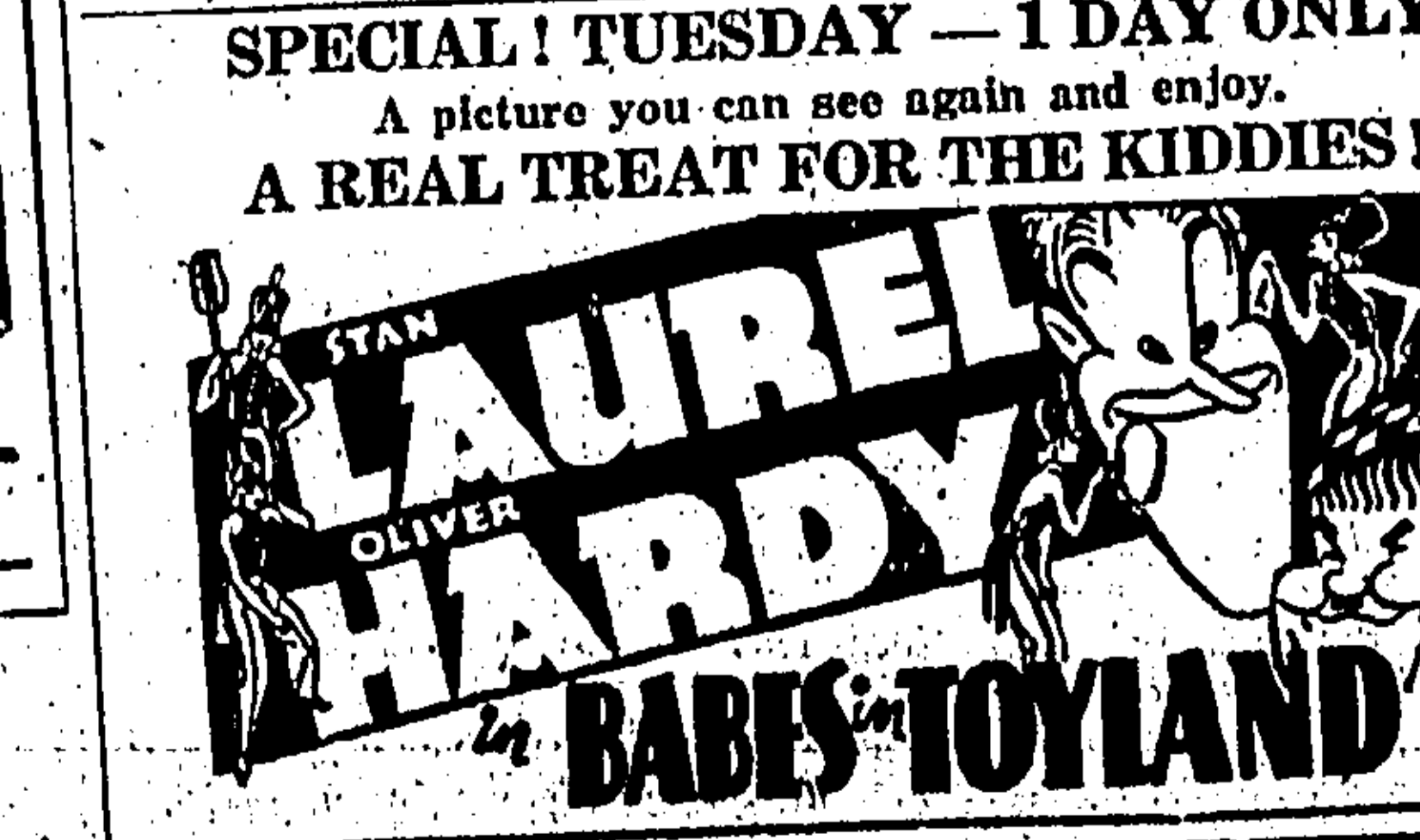
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FRENCH POLICY OUTLINED

M. Delbos Speaks
At Geneva

POLITICAL TRENDS IN EUROPE

"SUNDAY HERALD" SPECIAL
Geneva, Yesterday.

The first speaker in the League Assembly this morning was the French Foreign Minister, M. Delbos. In the course of an important speech he stated that there was no sense in international co-operation unless every nation possessed the right of self-determination and was secure against any foreign interference in its internal affairs, and, above all, any attack.

Opposing national philosophies threatened to divide Europe into hostile camps, and the dangers of such a mobilisation could not be declared loudly enough. A way of escape from this situation, which only simple-minded people could regard as unavoidable, was provided by the League of Nations, where all national sentiments and traditions, all social and cultural forms, were represented.

M. Delbos declared that the day before he heard with emotion the speech of the Spanish delegate, the Foreign Minister, Senor del Vayo. The French Government, however, was obliged to support the policy of non-intervention, in recognition of the dangers presented by rival intervention, in the form of deliveries of arms, and the unavoidable consequences of incidents which would inevitably have occurred.

LOCARNO TREATY

Turning to other European problems, M. Delbos stated that the Locarno Treaty was repudiated by Germany, and that the crisis which began from that date was not yet ended. Perhaps through its long duration its solution had become more difficult. Notwithstanding the guarantees which remained to her and the assurances which she had received, France had sincerely participated in the attempt to initiate a procedure which should lead as soon as possible to general discussion. She was still prepared to enter into any agreement which would guarantee the security of all the countries concerned and would exclude any idea of domination or encirclement, and thereby contribute to European peace.

"But we do not forget," declared M. Delbos, "that it is primarily the affair of the League of Nations itself to guarantee the security of its members, according to the terms of the Covenant." — Trans-Ocean Service.



Two photographs taken shortly after the sea which deprived many poor fishing folk of their homes at Cheung Chau early last Sunday morning. (Photo by Mr. D. O. de Silva).

STATEMENT IN FRANCE

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the important aim of which is to maintain the greatest possible balance of international exchange, and to avoid destroying this balance through American or British negotiation. The French Government shares with the American and British Governments the conviction that the continuation of this policy serves the general aim towards which each Government is striving.

POLICY ENDORSED

"In the conviction that this desired stability cannot be maintained without the previous re-establishment of a permanent balance between the various economic fields the French Government has resolved to propose to its Parliament a bill for the adjustment of the currency. The Governments of the United States and Great Britain have endorsed this decision in the hope that such a measure will bring about a firmer foundation for the stabilisation of international economic relations. The Governments of the United States and Great Britain declare their intention to prevent as far as it is in their power to do so any disturbance of the new monetary foundations brought about through this measure.

"The French Government, like the Governments of the United States and Britain, is convinced that the success of the aforementioned policy is dependent on the development of international trade.

CO-OPERATION URGED

"The French Government considers it highly important to reduce gradually the existing contingent and monetary control systems, with a view to abolishing them entirely. The French Government, as well as those of the

United States and Great Britain, wishes and requests the co-operation of other nations in carrying out the policy explained above. It takes for granted that no nation will make an attempt to hinder the efforts of the French, British and American Governments to bring about the re-establishment of more stable economic relations."

Minister Meets Pressmen POLICY EXPLAINED

The French Minister of Finance, M. Vincent Auriol, received the press representatives of many countries at 1.15 p.m. to-day, and explained to them the measures planned for carrying out the new monetary agreements arrived at between France, Great Britain and the United States.

The Minister declared that the agreement was the result of long negotiations which had continued secretly since June. The French Government did not desire concealed deflation and a consequent race to come about, but regarded the present measures as a step towards economic and financial peace.

SERIOUS MEASURES

The Minister of Finance then announced the serious measures through which the French Government plans to counteract any hardships occasioned in the country by the new step:—The sale of gold by the Bank of France is to be discontinued; it is proposed to confiscate all gold at the present value, which has already been authorised by dispensation; measures are to be taken for the protection of persons with small incomes, retired persons and war veterans; there is to be regulation of salaries to the costs of living, with a firm desire to prevent any unfair increases in prices; regulation of interest rates in mortgages and loans through an agreement with credit financiers; the provision of a fund of 1,000,000,000 francs from which loans are to be made to communities and corporations at an interest rate of 5 per cent., and a credit for commercial shipping lines and mortgage loans to the extent of 500,000,000 francs.

The Minister of Finance closed his remarks with the hope that Parliament and the public would appreciate the importance of the agreement negotiated by the Government. — Trans-Ocean Service.

(Earlier messages are on Page 8.)

WEATHER REPORT

The anti-cyclone over N. China is strengthening and extending southward. A trough of low pressure extends from Indo-China, across N. Luzon, to the Loochoos. The forecast for to-day, as issued by the Royal Observatory last evening, was: North and north-east winds, fresh; fine to cloudy.

SIX DRAWS IN DIVISION I

Arsenal Held At
Highbury

SUNDERLAND DRAW

London, Yesterday.
Six draws in eleven matches featured the premier League football programme to-day. Results, as cabled by Reuter, were as follows:—

FIRST DIVISION	
Arsenal	2 Derby
Birmingham	2 Grimsby
Bolton	1 Sunderland
Brentford	3 Wolves
Everton	2 Huddersfield
Leeds	2 Liverpool
Manchester C.	0 Chelsea
Middlesboro'	1 Charlton
Preston	3 Manchester U.
Wednesday	0 Portsmouth
W. Bromwich	2 Stoke

SECOND DIVISION	
Barnsley	1 Tottenham
Bradford	2 Blackpool
Burnley	0 Swansea
Coventry	2 Chesterfield
Doncaster	1 A. Villa
Fulham	0 Bradford C.
Newcastle	2 Blackburn
Norwich	0 Bury
Plymouth	4 Notts F.
Southampton	4 Sheffield U.
West Ham	4 Leicester

THIRD DIVISION (South)	
Aldershot	2 Newport
Bristol R.	2 Brighton
Cardiff	3 Exeter
Clapton	0 Bristol C.
Gillingham	2 Crystal P.
Luton	4 Reading
Millwall	2 Watford
Northampton	0 Bournemouth
Notts C.	2 Torquay
Swindon	4 Southend
Walsall	2 Queen's P.R.

THIRD DIVISION (North)	
Accrington	1 Darlington
Chester	4 Carlisle
Crowe	1 Hartlepool
Halifax	2 Tranmere
Lincoln	4 Gateshead
Mansfield	3 Southport
N. Brighton	1 Hull
Oldham	2 Wrexham
Port Vale	3 Stockport
Rochdale	3 York
Rotherham	4 Barrow

SCOTTISH LEAGUE	
Aberdeen	2 Motherwell
Albion	2 Partick
Clyde	1 Hibernian
Hamilton	3 T. Lanark
Hearts	0 Celtic
Kilmarnock	2 Arbroath
Queen O'S	1 St. Mirren
Queen's Park	0 Dundee
Rangers	5 Dunfermline
St. Johnstone	1 Falkirk

(No correction had been received up to 3 a.m.—Ed.)

demands or reject them so as to preserve the sovereignty of China is considered a supremely important matter by the whole world.

MINISTERS REPORT
Mr. Wu Ting-chiang, Minister of Industry, and Mr. Wang Si-kit, Minister of Education, arrived from Nanking by air on Tuesday last. They proceeded to Whampoa at 8 a.m. yesterday to report the present conditions in the capital to the Generalissimo. It is reported that both the Ministers returned to Nanking by air this morning carrying with them a letter by the Generalissimo containing instructions as to how to meet the present difficult foreign situation.

ANOTHER MEETING FIXED
Nanking: Mr. S. Kawagoe, the Japanese Ambassador to China, is calling on the Foreign Minister, Mr. Chang Chun, next week to resume the negotiations for the settlement of the Chengtu-Pakhoi, Hankow and Hongkew incidents and the readjustment of Sino-Japanese relations, but the exact date and time of the interview has not yet been fixed.—Reuter.

(Earlier messages will be found on Page 9.)

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